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I mentioned on the inside flap of volume 13 that as I was nodding off I wrote some crazy notes on a Post-it...and guess what? I did it again! "Scar's toupee."

—Hiromu Arakawa, 2010

Born in Hokkaido (northern Japan), Hiromu Arakawa first attracted national attention in 1999 with her award-winning manga *Stray Dog*. Her series *Fullmetal Alchemist* debuted in 2001 in Square Enix's monthly manga anthology *Shonen Gangan*.

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CHARACTERS
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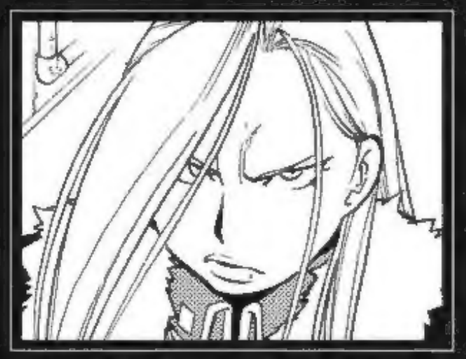
セリム・ブラッドレイ(プライド)
Selim Bradley (Pride)

スカー
Scar



オリヴィエ・ミラ・アームストロング
Olivier Mira Armstrong

キング・ブラッドレイ
King Bradley

メイ・チャン
May Chang

ヴァン・ホーエンハイム
Van Hohenheim

アルフォンス・エルリック
Alphonse Elric

エドワード・エルリック
Edward Elric

アレックス・ルイ・アームストロング
Alex Louis Armstrong

ロイ・マスタング
Roy Mustang

OUTLINE
FULLMETAL ALCHEMIST

Using a forbidden alchemical ritual, the Elric brothers attempted to bring their dead mother back to life. But the ritual went wrong, consuming Edward Elric's leg and Alphonse Elric's entire body. At the cost of his arm, Edward was able to graft his brother's soul into a suit of armor. Equipped with mechanical "auto-mail" to replace his missing limbs, Edward becomes a state alchemist in hopes of finding a way to restore their bodies. Their search embroils them in a deadly conspiracy that threatens to take the innocence, if not the lives, of everyone involved.

As the "Day of Reckoning" looms, Central City has become a warzone! On one side, the Homunculi and the military leaders who have sold out their country for power; on the other, a rag-tag alliance of rebel soldiers loyal to Major General Armstrong of Briggs and Roy Mustang, Ishbalan refugees and, of course, the Elric family. With the Fuhrer-President missing and morale amongst Central's loyal soldiers low, the Briggs soldiers managed to capture Central HQ, but now Bradley is back and the tides are turning against our heroes. Meanwhile, in the Homunculi's lair, deep beneath Central City, Hohenheim confronts his old nemesis, The Dwarf in the Flask, while Ed, Mustang, Scar and their friends are in the fight of their lives against a squad of super-soldiers…

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WOOM
WOOMD

Chapter 100
Holding the Gate

FULLMETAL
ALCHEMIST

KO
KO

RM RM RM

?!

GRAB

SLAM!

ARGH!

TUC

TUC

TUC

TUC

TUC

YOU BAS-TARD...

GRAB

SNAK

WHOMP

RRGH..

SKREE
SKREE

...

...!!

SKITCH

RAGE

ABE

SQUEE!

DAMMIT, GIRL! DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME!!

KOEE

WHOOM!!

..IS THE ONLY THING THAT MAT-TERS.

SPURT

MY PRINCE'S SAFETY..

NGH...

IT'S THE OLD MAN YOU SHOULD BE WORRYING ABOUT!

DRIP

DRIP

THERE'S NO WAY YOUR AUTO-MAIL ARM CAN HOLD ALL THIS WEIGHT!!

HE'S.

HE'S BE-YOND HELP.

DRIP

!

I COULD REALLY USE A HAND OVER HERE!!

SOL-DIERS OF BRIGGS !!

THIS IS..

..THE END OF THE ROAD !!

BRAD-LEY!!

GOT IT!

DASH

BLAM

ARGH!

SHIK

FWIP

SHUF...

THWIP

MNGHL

GLUB

BLUB GLUB

SPLOOSH

GLUB

THERE'S A PHILOS-OPHER'S STONE RIGHT HERE!!

USE AS MUCH AS IT TAKES!!

FOO!!

IS THERE A DOCTOR HERE?

IS THERE A DOCTOR HERE WHO CAN PERFORM ALCHEMY?!!

PLEASE !!

SOME-BODY DO SOME-THING !!

WHY ?!!

WHY WON'T ANYBODY HELP HIM?!!

THIS IS A NATION OF ALCHE-MISTS, ISN'T IT?

WHY..?

FUP

TA-TAT

BLAM

IT'S NOT FAIR..

PRINCE!!

PLEASE GET DOWN!!

...BUT WHAT GOOD IS IT IF IT CAN'T SAVE A SINGLE LIFE?!

THIS THING INSIDE ME IS SUPPOSED TO GRANT IMMORTALITY...

KOFF
GURK
CAPTAIN, STAY WITH US!!
CAP-TAIN !!
KOFF
I'M SOR-RY...
I CAN'T EVEN HEAL YOUR WOUNDS.
THANKS TO YOU, WE WERE ABLE TO DELIVER A MORTAL BLOW TO BRADLEY.
YOU MADE SURE FOO'S DEATH WAS NOT IN VAIN.
AND YET THERE'S NOTHING I CAN DO FOR YOU...
A SECOND WAVE OF CENTRAL CITY TROOPS IS APPROACH-ING !!
TING
TAT-TAT-TAT-TAT

KABOOM

WE CAN'T HOLD OUT ANY LONGER !!

THAT WAS THE LAST OF OUR AMMO!!

BOOM

CAPTAIN!

CAPTAIN, CAN YOU HEAR ME?!

TA-TA-TA-TA

PLEASE...

...GUARD IT FOR ME.

...MUST REMAIN CLOSED UNTIL OUR QUEEN ORDERS IT TO BE OPENED.

THIS GATE

GREED... OR LIN YAO OR WHAT-EVER YOUR NAME IS...

IF YOU REALLY WANT TO REPAY ME, THEN DO ME ONE FAVOR.

NO.

YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN DO IT. SO PLEASE PROTECT THEM.

WITH YOUR STRENGTH, YOU CAN DO IT.

GREED.

WHAT?

...

LEND ME YOUR POW-ERS.

I NEED YOUR HELP.

!

!

YES, SIRE!

LAN FAN, STAY HERE AND PROTECT THESE PEOPLE.

SURE. WHY NOT

YOU HAVE MY WORD.

YES.

WILL YOU DO IT?

I'VE STILL GOT TIME TO KILL BEFORE I MAKE MY MOVE

SHNK

...ALWAYS KEEP THEIR PROMISES.

SNIK

KRIK SNIK

THE PEOPLE OF XING...

RA-TA-TAT-TAT

RA-TA-TAT-TAT

TA-TAT-

TAT-TA-

TAT-TAT

TA-TAT

TA-TAT-

TAT-

WHAT THE..

TAT-TA-

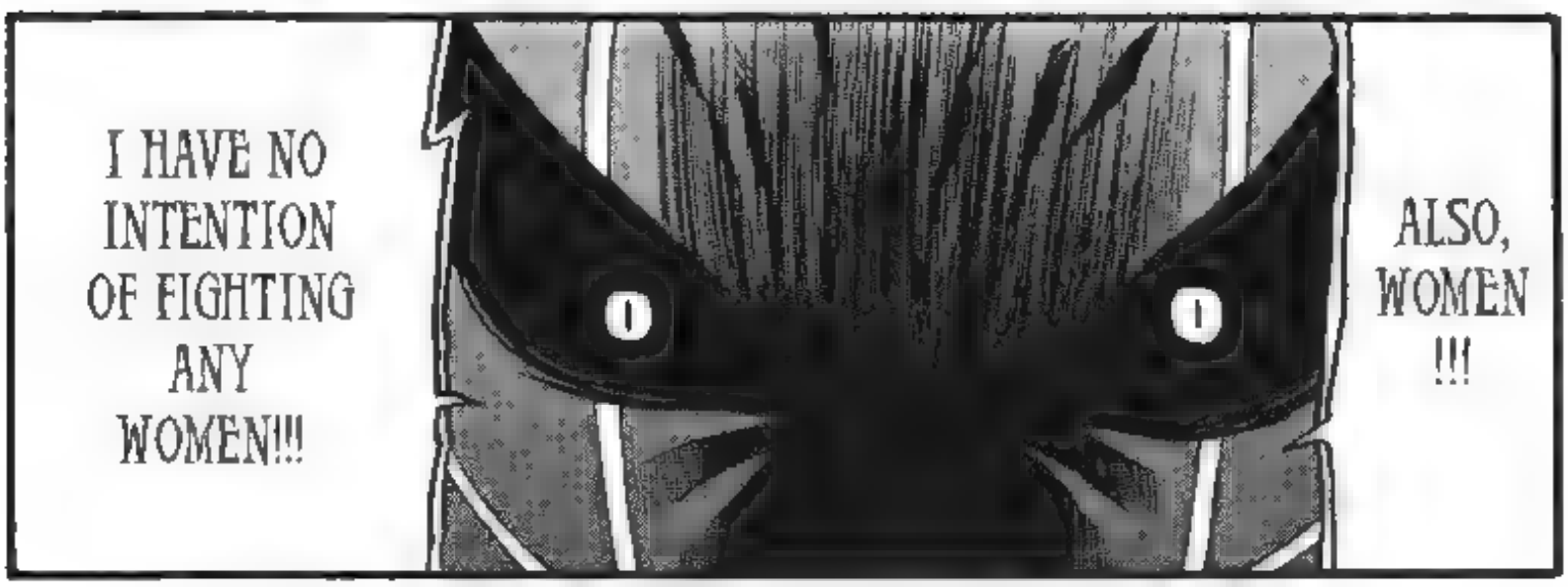
TAT-TA-

TAT

OPEN FIRE !!!

CHK CHK

IF YOU'VE GOT A FAMILY BACK HOME WAITING FOR YOU OR IF YOU JUST WANT TO SAVE YOUR OWN SKIN, TURN AROUND AND WALK AWAY.
ALL RIGHT, PEOPLE, LISTEN UP!


I HAVE NO INTENTION OF FIGHTING ANY WOMEN!!!
ALSO, WOMEN !!!

RA-TA-TAT-TAT-TA-TA-TAT-TA-TAT-TAT-TAT-TAT

FIRE, FIRE!!

HOLD YOUR GROUND !!

TING

PLINK

CHING

SLASH

ST

OMP

AARGH!

GRUNCH

WHAK
WHAK
WHAK
WHAK
AAAH!
WHOA
!
SL
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GO!!
RUN
HIM
DOWN
!!
VRR
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SKICH
DIE,
YOU
MON-
STER
!!
SKREE
SSKKKKID

KLUNK

SHUNK

KABOOM

UH-OH...

FOOM

WAAAH!!

NNNGH

KOFF

AMAZ-
ING...

WHO
IS
THAT
?

LIN
YAO.

...OR
THE
HOMUN-
CULUS
?

GRAAH.

WHOEVER HE IS, I'M JUST HAPPY HE'S ON OUR SIDE!

HANG IN THERE, SIR!! IF MAJOR GENERAL ARMSTRONG WINS THIS BATTLE, YOU'LL BE A HERO!

WE'LL NEED YOUR SUPPORT MORE THAN EVER HERE IN CENTRAL CITY!

HRM..

NOW I CAN DIE IN PEACE.

CAP-TAIN !!

FAREWELL, MY COMRADES.

HUMPH.

CENTRAL CITY'S SOOT FILLED SKY ISN'T FOR ME.

THERE'S A PLACE A LITTLE BIT HIGHER THAN THE PEAK OF MT BRIGGS.

I'LL..

..SEE YOU THERE...

BLAB BLAB

I

THEY ALL SAY TO STAY IN OUR HOMES.

WHAT ABOUT THE OTHER STATIONS?

ISN'T THERE ANY NEWS FROM RADIO CAPITAL?

MOMMY...

I HOPE THE FIGHTING WON'T SPREAD TO THIS AREA...

MURMR

MURMR

MURMR

YOU'LL HAVE TO GO TO TABATHA'S HOUSE SOME OTHER TIME.

I'M SORRY, ALICIA DEAR. THEY SAID ON THE RADIO THAT WE CAN'T GO OUTSIDE TODAY.

I PROMISED TABATHA I'D GO TO HER HOUSE TODAY SO WE CAN WATCH THE SOLAR ECLIPSE TOGETHER.

THE ECLIPSE IS ABOUT TO BEGIN SO YOU CAN WATCH IT WITH MOMMY.

OKAY?

BZZT

RM

RM

RM

RM

RM

OKAY..

TWIK

FZZT

BZIP

BZZT

BZZT

FZZT

BZZT

KRA

AHHHH!!

KOOM

GAH!

BOMP BOMP BOMP

BAM

OUCH...

BZZT

OW...

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT ?!

YEAH, I THINK SO...

SON OF A...

MASTER !!

KA

VOOOO

AAAAG

AL ?!

OM

HEY!! WHAT THE?! WHAT'S GOING ON?!!

WHERE ARE WE, ED?!

I WAS GONNA ASK YOU THE SAME QUES-TION !

HEY, AL! PULL YOUR-SELF TOGETH-ER !!

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2

3

4...

THERE'S ONE MISSING.

TMP

HM...

IS THE OTHER ONE STILL BEING PREPARED THEN?

TROMP

DON'T TELL ME THEY GOT YOU AND AL PHONSE TOO?

ED-WARD.

HO-HEN-HEIM?!

DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT! WHAT HAP-PENED TO YOU?

I'M SORRY I CAN'T GREET YOU PROPERLY.

OH, AND MS. IZUMI.

UH...

AND WHO EXACTLY ARE YOU?!

SO I'M KEEPING HIM LIKE THIS FOR THE TIME BEING.

I ATTEMPTED TO ABSORB THE PHILOSOPHER'S STONE WITHIN HOHENHEIM BUT IT DIDN'T WORK OUT THE WAY I EXPECTED.

HUH?! THE BEARD GUY?!

YOU MIGHT KNOW HIM BETTER AS THE ONE THE HOMUNCULI CALL "FATHER."

I GUESS YOU COULD CALL HIM MY CLONE.

SPLOOT

WELL THEN..

BLURP

GLURP

JUST STAY QUIET.

...

GLOOP

HOW DID HE END UP LOOKING LIKE THIS?

ENOUGH OF YOUR BABBLING, HOHEN-HEIM.

...MY DEAR HUMAN SACRI-FICES.

THANK YOU FOR COMING...

WELCOME TO MY CASTLE.

AL ?!

AL, GET UP!

I GOT A BAD FEELING ABOUT THIS GUY.

AL-PHONSE !!

AL !!

WHAT'S WRONG ?!

MMMBL

WELL...

I SUPPOSE I SHOULDN'T HAVE EXPECTED MUCH WHEN THEY WERE LURED HERE FOR SUCH A PALTRY PRIZE AS IMMORTALITY.

TROMP

TROMP

TROMP

...WAS THAT THEY GET ME FIVE PROPER CANDIDATES IN TIME FOR THE BIG DAY.

TROMP

GWOOM

ALL I ASKED THOSE FOOLS UPSTAIRS...

GWOOM

GWOOM

VOOM

ZA

SH

KRAKA

S

H

SLASH

SLASH

SWO

OSH

BLAM BLAM BLAM BLAM BLAM

WH UMP

KLINK

WHY YOU...

SLI CE

GLARE

RIP

CLAP

NICE WORK, BOYS!

SL

CLAP

HOLD HIM THERE

CLAP

AM

CLAP

TIME IS SHORT SO YOU HELPED ME OUT GREATLY, MUSTANG.
TRUTH BE TOLD, I EXPECTED YOU TO STAY AT THE RADIO STATION, NOT COME DOWN HERE. NOT THAT I'M COMPLAINING.

NOW, THEN.
IT'S YOUR TURN TO OPEN THE PORTAL WITH SOME HUMAN TRANSMU-TATION.

A PAR-ENT.. A FRIEND... A LOVER...

ANY-ONE WILL DO.

WHAT ARE YOU TALK-ING ABOJT ?

I'LL TAKE CARE OF ALL THE PREPARA-TIONS FOR YOU.

HUGHES, WASN'T IT?

HE'LL DO JUST FINE.

THAT CLOSE FRIEND OF YOURS... WHAT WAS HIS NAME?

WELL, THAT'S TRUE.

WHY WOULD I BE DUMB ENOUGH TO TRY IT IF I KNOW I'M GOING TO FAIL?

THE ELRIC BROTHERS ALREADY TOLD ME THAT HUMAN TRANSMU-TATIONS NEVER WORK.

THAT'S RIGHT.

THE HUMAN SACRI-FICE THING ?

BUT I DON'T NEED YOU TO SUCCEED. I JUST NEED YOU TO OPEN THE PORTAL AND RETURN.

I REFUSE "

I WON'T MEDDLE WITH HUMAN TRANSMU-TATION!!

I'M NOT OPENING YOUR DAMN PORTAL!!

...WE'RE RUNNING OUT OF TIME.

I'VE ALREADY TOLD YOU...

SLICE

LIEUTENANT!!!

NOW, THEN ...

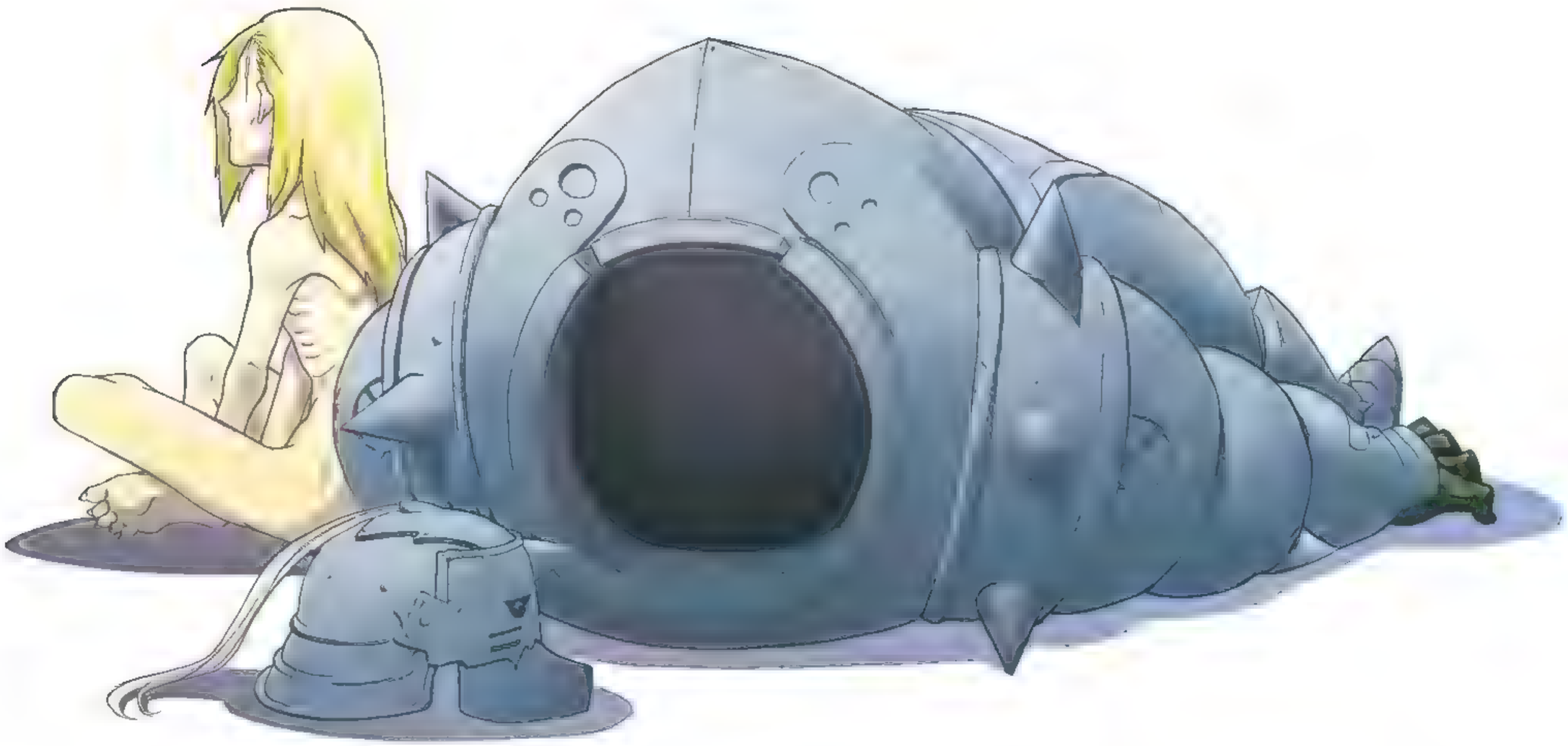
...MUS-TANG.

OPEN THE PORTAL FOR ME...

FULLMETAL
ALCHEMIST

GWOOM
GWOOM
GWOOM
GWOOM
GWOOM
SPLAASH
SPLISH
GLUB
SLIP

Chapter 101
The Fifth Human Sacrifice



FULLMETAL ALCHEMIST

WHERE ARE YOU, IZUMI?!!

IZUMI !!

SHE VAN-ISHED !

IZUMI CURTIS..

IS THERE ANY-ONE LEFT AT COM-MAND CEN-TER ?!

ARM-STRONG SQUAD HERE.

AYE, SIR !

CALL THE COMMAND CENTER AND FIND OUT HOW THINGS ARE GOING UPSTAIRS.

HM...

ANY IDEAS, ALEX?

...!!

...THAT WHEN THEY ATTEMPTED HUMAN TRANSMUTATION, THEY WERE DRAGGED INTO THE PORTAL OF TRUTH BY BLACK HANDS.

THE ELRIC BROTHERS ONCE TOLD ME...

MA-JOR GENE-RAL!

THE SITUATION HASN'T CHANGED AT THE COMMAND CENTER, BUT...

ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE SEEN IT KNOW THE ANSWER.

WHAT IS THE PORTAL OF TRUTH?!

I SEE.

...DIED IN COMBAT AGAINST KING BRADLEY.

...I HAVE BAD NEWS TO REPORT FROM THE MAIN GATE. CAPTAIN BUCCANEER AND SEVERAL OF HIS SUBORDI-NATES...

WITH THE HELP OF SEVERAL WARRIORS FROM XING, OUR MEN WERE ABLE TO DELIVER A FATAL BLOW TO BRADLEY AND THREW HIM INTO THE MOAT.

THERE'S NO WAY THAT KING BRADLEY COULD HAVE BEEN KILLED SO EASILY!!

NO, NO, NO !!

NO...

THOK!

HE'S NOT HUMAN-

A HOMUNCULUS NAMED *GREED* JOINED OUR SIDE AND SINGLE-HANDEDLY BROUGHT DOWN THE CENTRAL CITY SOLDIERS WHO WERE TRYING TO TAKE THE GATE!

NO.. NO.. A HOMUNCULUS WOULD NEVER SIDE WITH THESE FOOLS -

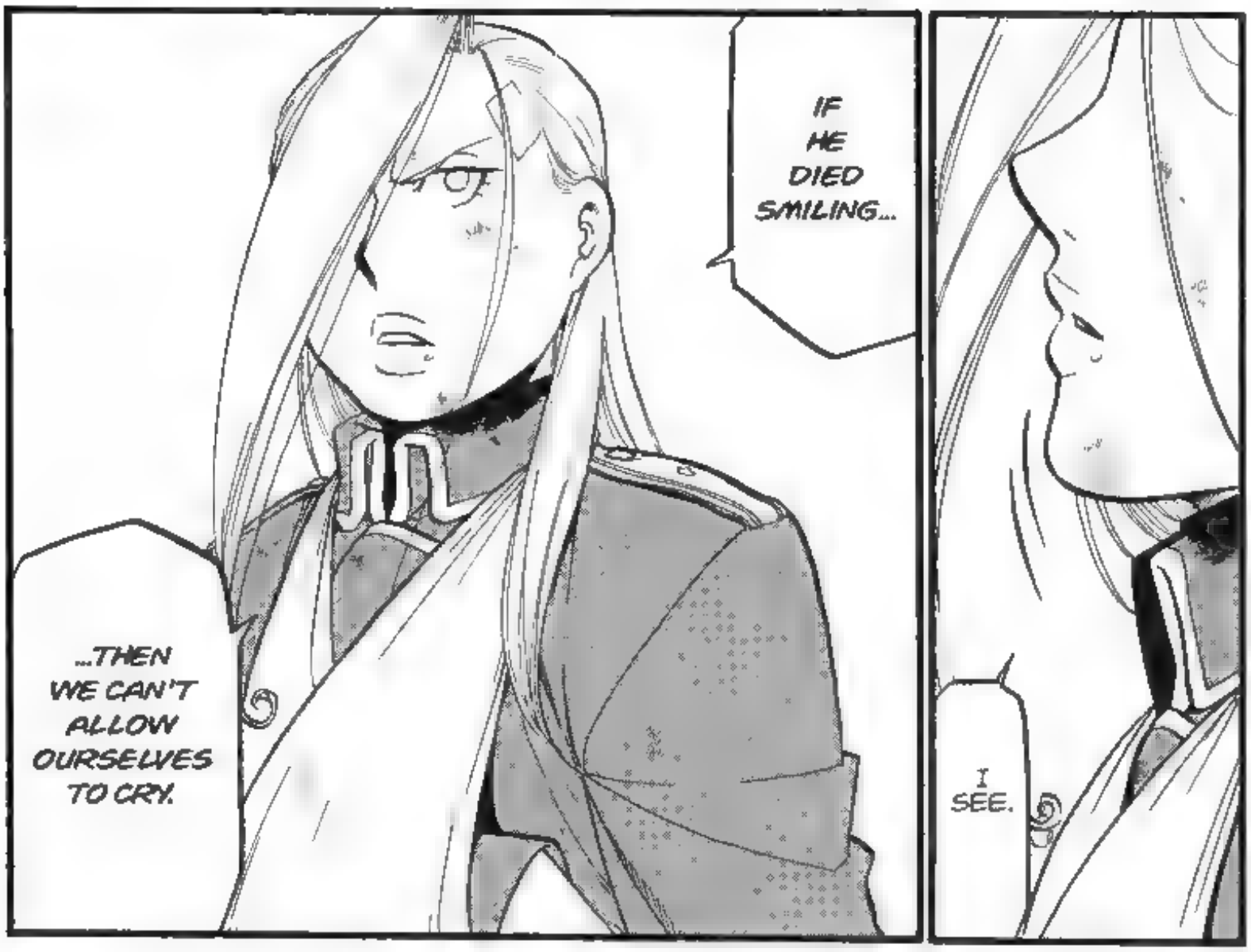
IT'S STILL BEING HELD, SIR!

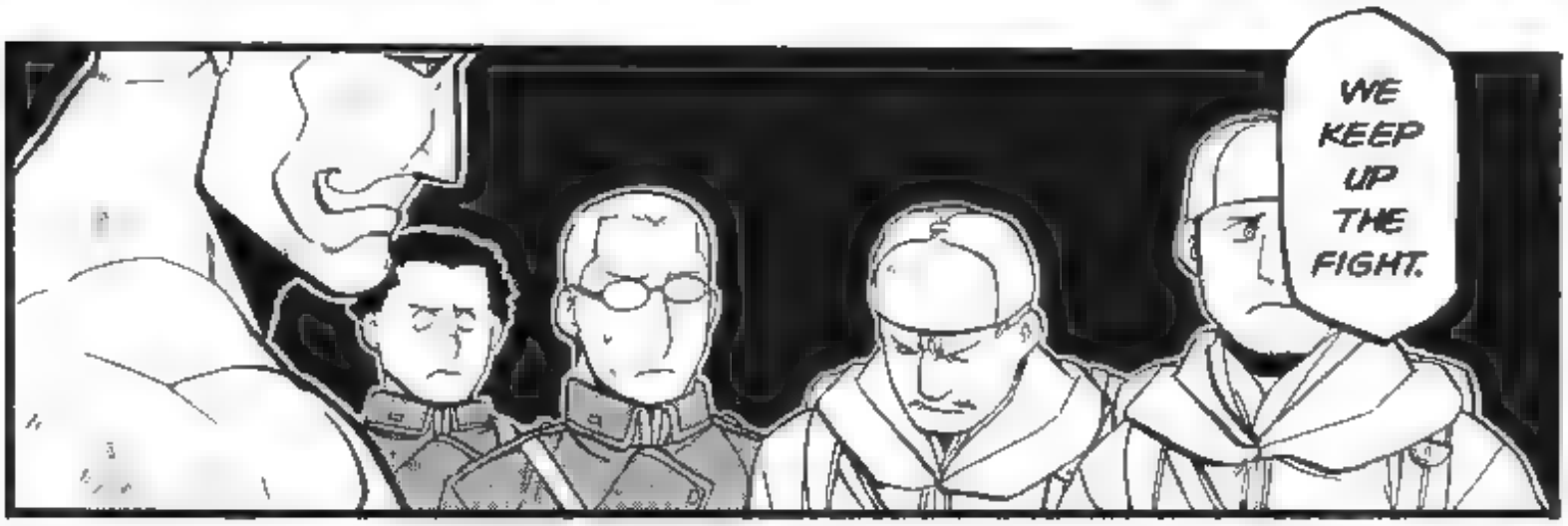
WHAT'S THE STATUS OF THE MAIN GATE?

THEY SAY CAPTAIN BUCCANEER..

...WAS SMILING WHEN HE PASSED.

THE GATE REMAINS CLOSED, AS YOU ORDERED!


IF HE DIED SMILING...
...THEN WE CAN'T ALLOW OURSELVES TO CRY.
I SEE.


WE KEEP UP THE FIGHT.

WE NEED TO FIND YOUR WIFE.

LET'S GO, MR. CURTIS.

LIEU-TENANT !!

LIEUTENANT, PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER !!

CAN YOU HEAR ME ?!

ANSWER ME!! LIEU-TENANT !!

HAVE YOU MADE UP YOUR MIND YET, MUSTANG?

TWITCH TWITCH

KRIK

TUG TUG

YOU BAS-TARD !!

SHUFF

ANSWER ME, LIEUTENANT !!

LIEU-TEN-ANT !!

PLOP

OR YOU CAN HOLD OUT TILL THIS WOMAN IS DEAD AND RESURRECT HER.

THAT WOULD BE FINE TOO.

WHO WILL YOU ATTEMPT TO SAVE?

A FAMILY MEMBER? A FRIEND? A LOVER?

NOW HURRY UP AND BEGIN THE HUMAN TRANSMUTATION.

GOOD.

CLAP CLAP

I'VE BEEN GIVEN ORDERS...

...NOT TO DIE.

I WON'T DIE...

WHAT WILL YOU DO...

...MUSTANG?

A TOUCHING SHOW OF STRENGTH. IF ONLY THE SECRET OF IMMORTALITY WERE AS SIMPLE AS THAT, BUT ALAS, YOU'RE ALL TOO MORTAL, MY DEAR.

OF COURSE.

WITHOUT TREATMENT, SHE'LL BE DEAD IN MINUTES.

A WOMAN WHO'S DEAR TO YOU LIES BLEEDING.

IT ALL HINGES ON YOUR CHOICE.

NOT ONLY THAT, I ALSO HAVE WITH ME A ***PHILOSOPHER'S STONE.***

..IT DOESN'T HAVE TO END THAT WAY. I'M A DOCTOR AND ALCHEMIST.

DEAD ALREADY ?

SHE STOPPED MOVING.

OH ?

...!!!

...COLONEL...

OH, YOU'LL DO IT...

...WON'T YOU, MUSTANG?

DON'T... ATTEMPT HUMAN TRANSMUTATION... IT'S NOT... WORTH IT.

WEEZ

WEEZ

WEEZ

WEEZ

WEEE
WEEE
WEEE
WEE?

...ALL RIGHT.

ALL RIGHT, LIEUTENANT.

AH! THEN YOU'LL DO IT?!

I WON'T DO HUMAN TRANS-MUTATION.

ME, HEART-LESS?

HOW HEART-LESS.

YOU'RE ABAN-DON-ING HER?

CONSIDERING THAT YOU'VE BEEN USING HUMAN BEINGS AS PAWNS IN YOUR EXPERIMENTS, I DON'T THINK YOU'RE IN A POSITION TO LECTURE ME ABOUT MORALITY.

AND MOST OF ALL, I GAVE THEM A REASON TO EXIST.

I GAVE THEM A FIRST-RATE EDUCATION.

I GAVE THEM FOOD WHEN THEY WERE ABANDONED BY THEIR PARENTS.

IT'S BECAUSE YOU ACTUALLY BELIEVE THAT CRAP THAT YOU'VE SEALED YOUR OWN DEMISE.

EVERY ONE OF MY PATIENTS IS GRATEFUL FOR WHAT I'VE GIVEN THEM!

AH

WHAT DO—

HE'S GONE...

!

GRRK!!

!!

TONK

TONK

TONK

TONK

WHAAAAAAT?!

GLURP

YOU THINK I'M GRATEFUL ?

BUT HONESTLY, A DAY DOESN'T GO BY WHERE I DON'T THINK ABOUT *KILLING* GUYS LIKE YOU.

GRANTED, AT TIMES LIKE THIS, I DO FEEL A LITTLE GRATEFUL...

...TO THE GUY WHO GAVE ME SUCH A USEFUL BODY.

B-BUT I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN SAVE THE WOMAN!

WITHOUT MY MEDICAL ALCHEMY, SHE'LL DIE! YOU KNOW THAT, DON'T YOU?!

I'M SICK OF YOUR THIRD-RATE THREATS...

...DOC.

ZZAM

VIP

VIP

VIP

VIP

VIP

THUMP

?!

SM ASH

GR AB

!

SHU NK

PHILOSO-
PHER'S
STONE?!

THE
PHILOSO-
PHER'S
STONE!!

WHAK

TOK

WHY
YOU..

NO
!

FOOM

OUT OF MY WAY !!

SWING

RAAH!

BRGH!

SMA

CR

LIEU-TENANT !

I OVERHEARD MOST OF WHAT THE DOC SAID. YOU WORRY ABOUT HER.

I'LL TAKE CARE OF THESE GOONS !

OKAY... THANKS

NNNGH!!

OPEN YOUR EYES !!

WEEZ

WEEZ

WEEZ

PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER, LIEUTENANT !!

WEEZ

WEEZ

I HAVE TO HELP HER FIRST!!

DASH

BZZZ

LIEU-TEN-ANT!!

I'VE STOPPED THE BLEEDING FOR NOW.

NOW YOU NEED TO GET HER TO A PROPER DOCTOR.

RGH...

THANKS.

PHEW

THANK YOU.!

COLONEL.

I'M SOR RY...

DON'T TRY TO SPEAK.

JUST REST.

I'M GLAD THAT YOU NOTICED...

...MY EYE SIGNALS.

FOR AS LONG AS WE'VE BEEN A TEAM, HOW COULD I NOT?

FWUMP

CAREFUL! IF YOU SQUEEZE HER TOO HARD, HER WOUND WILL REOPEN!

PLUS, THE LOOK ON YOUR FACE SAID...

..."I'LL KILL YOU IF YOU MESS WITH HUMAN TRANSMU-TATION!"

PHEW

I AL MOST FOR GOT

THE PHI LOSO-PHER'S STONE !

NO PROBLEM.

YOU WERE A BIG HELP !

THANKS GUYS.

OH..

KLAK

KLAK

OH NO!

THE STONE...

BRAD-LEY !!

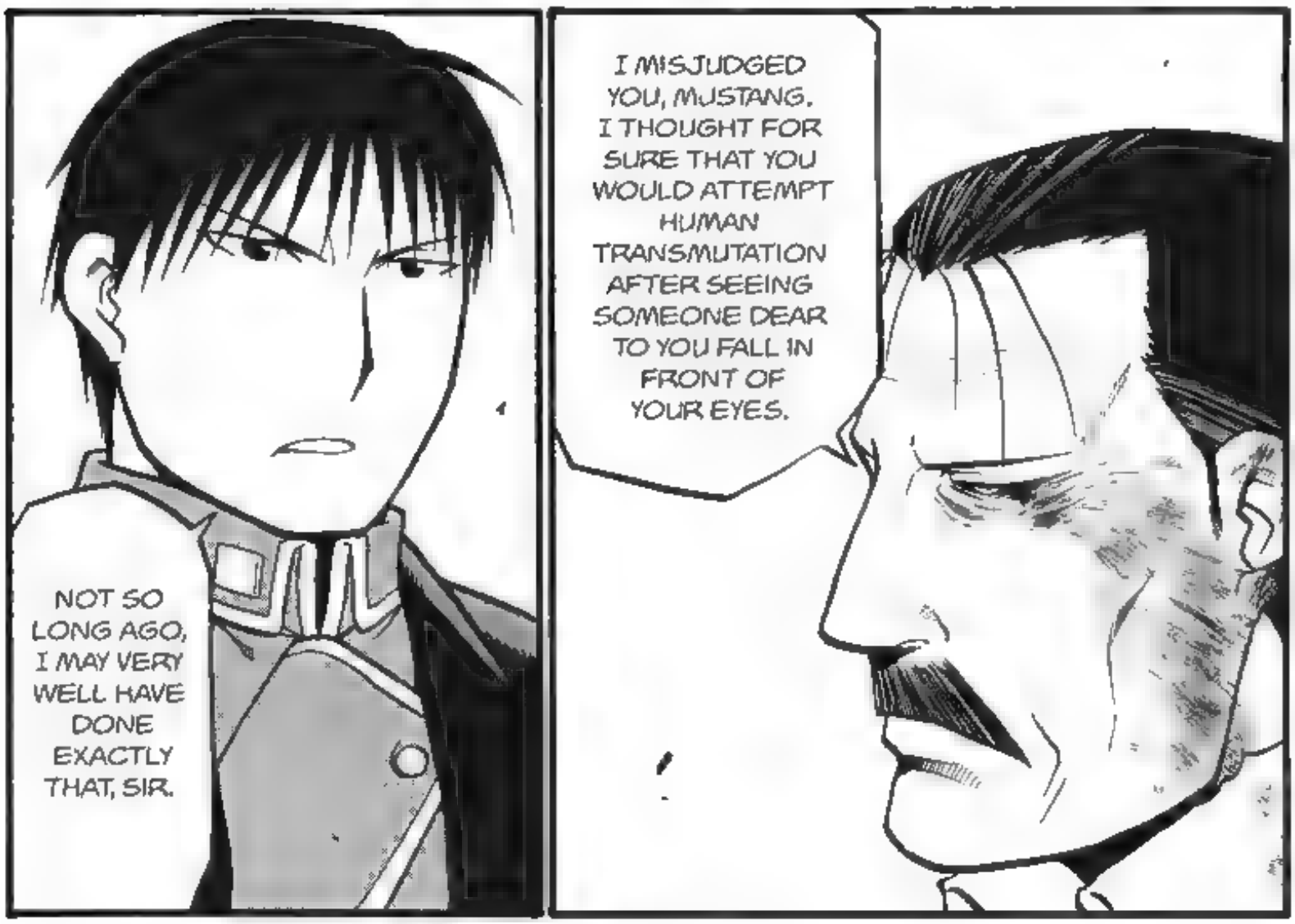
GRR...

GLARE

INTER-ESTING... HIS WOUND HASN'T HEALED.

!

! DROP


NOT SO LONG AGO, I MAY VERY WELL HAVE DONE EXACTLY THAT, SIR.
I MISJUDGED YOU, MUSTANG. I THOUGHT FOR SURE THAT YOU WOULD ATTEMPT HUMAN TRANSMUTATION AFTER SEEING SOMEONE DEAR TO YOU FALL IN FRONT OF YOUR EYES.

BUT NOW I HAVE PEOPLE WHO TELL ME WHEN I'M ABOUT TO DO SOMETHING I'LL REGRET...

...AND KEEP ME ON THE CORRECT PATH.

HEH HEH..

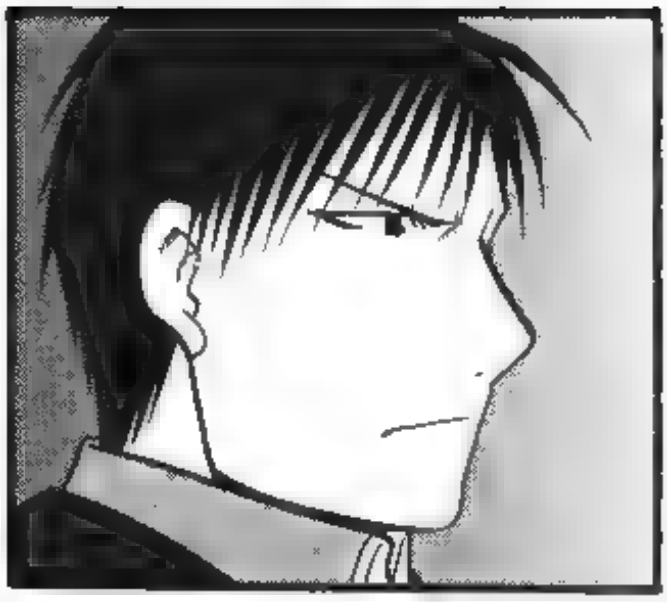
...

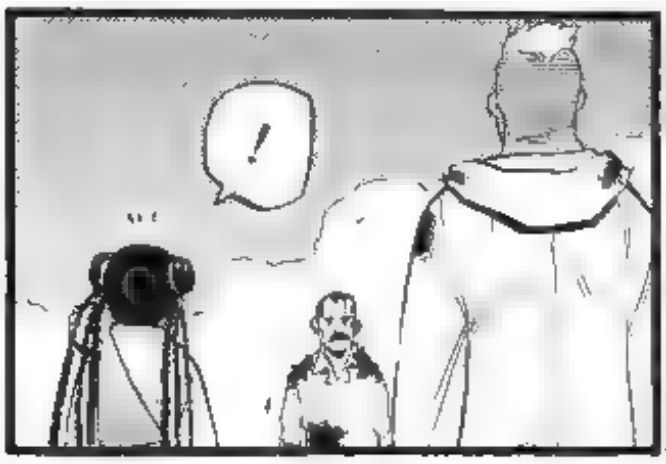
I'VE GOT TO GIVE IT TO YOU HUMANS...

DRIP

I USED TO THINK YOU HUMANS WERE INCAPABLE OF LEARNING FROM YOUR MISTAKES.

BUT EVEN GIVEN YOUR PATHETICALLY SHORT LIVES, SOME OF YOU STILL MANAGE TO SURPRISE ME.

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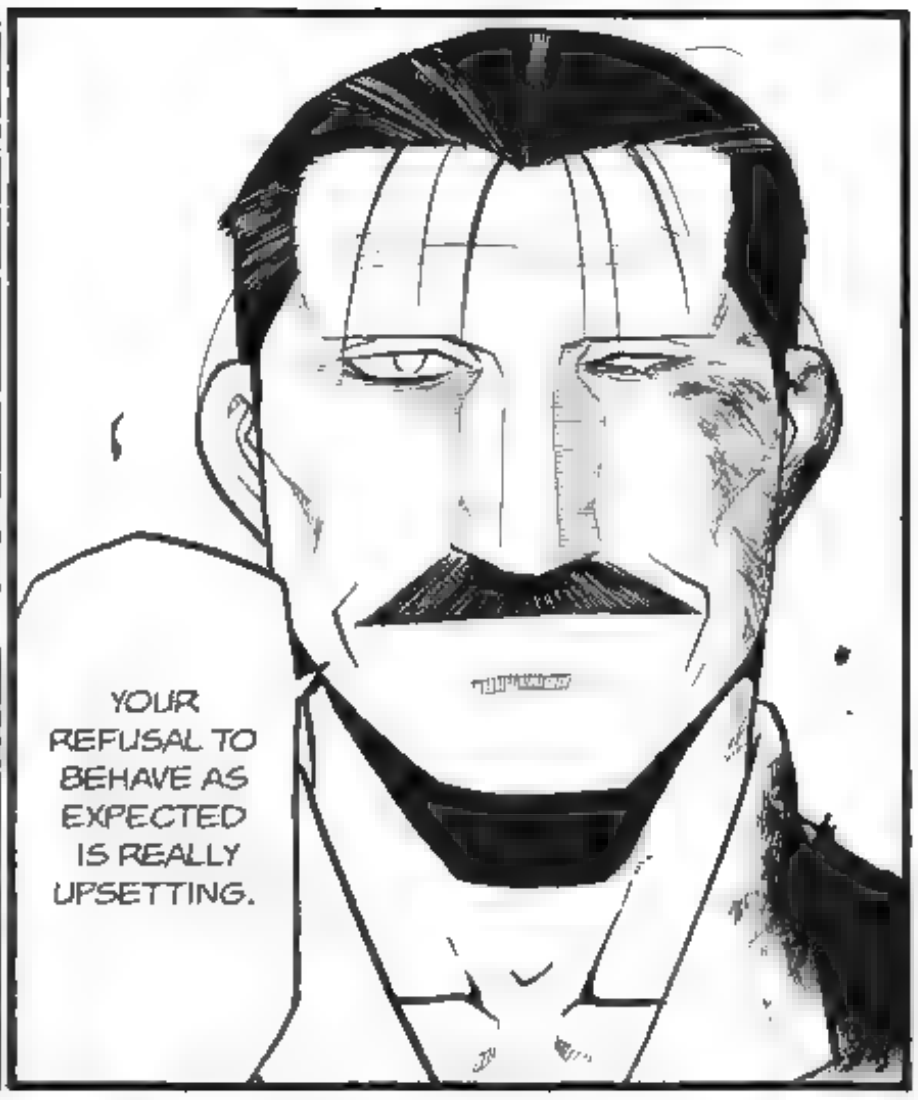
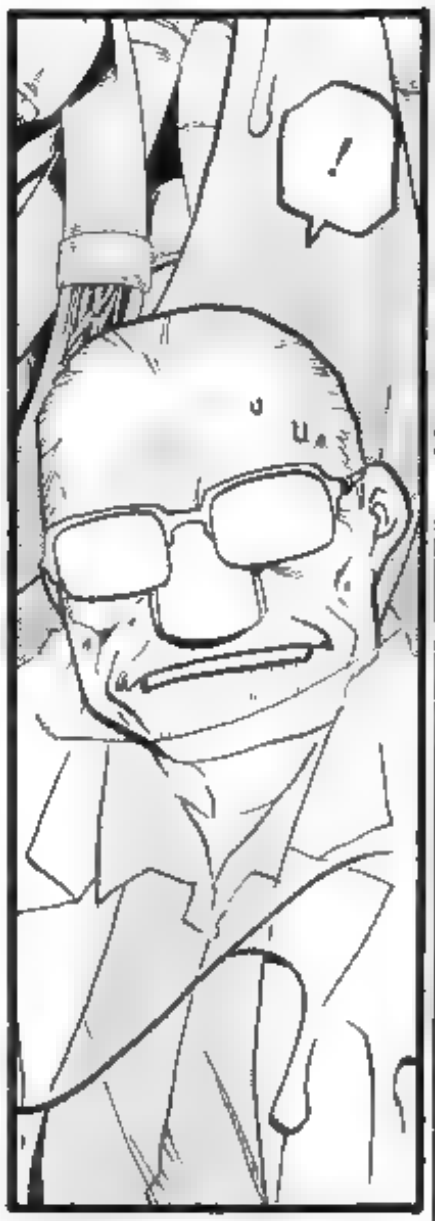

YOUR REFUSAL TO BEHAVE AS EXPECTED IS REALLY UPSETTING.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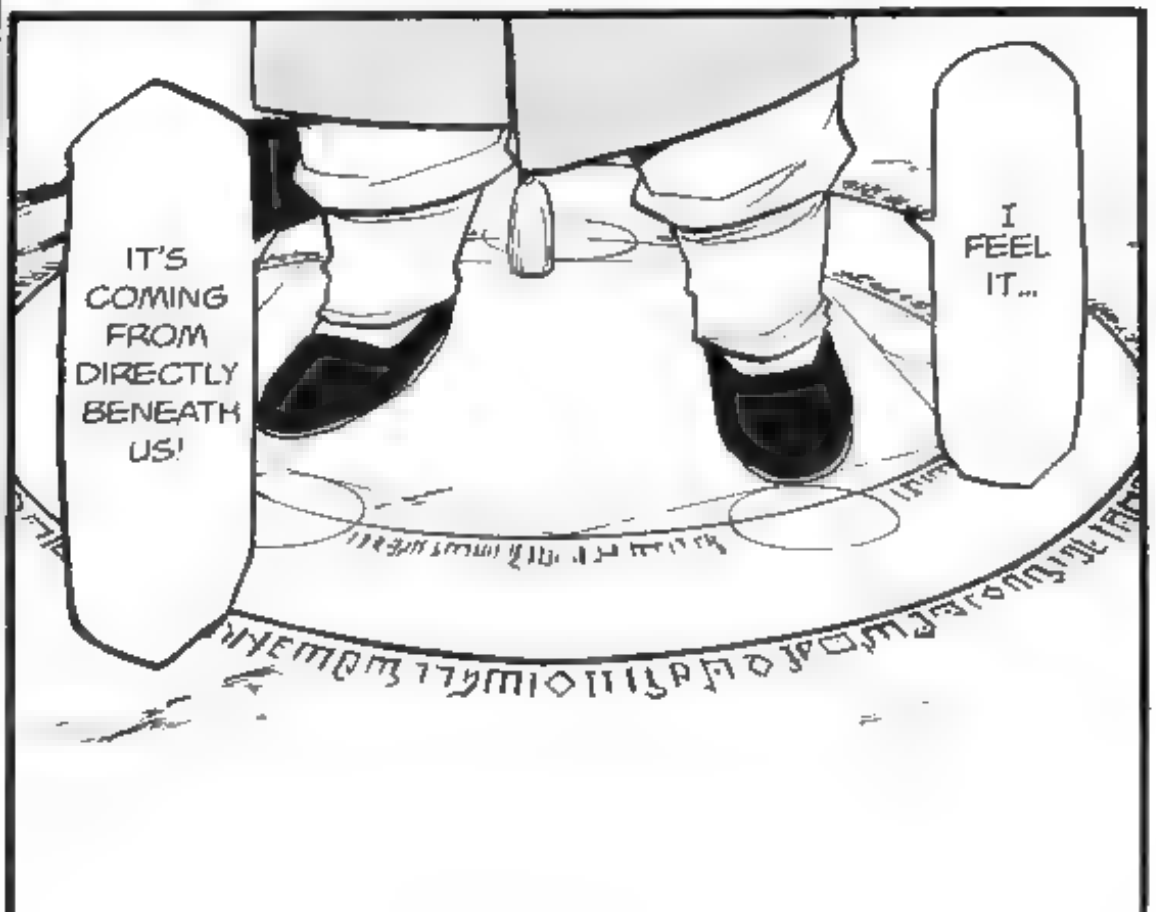

IT'S COMING FROM DIRECTLY BENEATH US!
I FEEL IT...

GIVE IT UP, OLD MAN.

IT'S TIME TO DIE...

I WON'T LET YOU GET IN HIS WAY!

ARGH.

WHY YOU..

WHAT THE ?!

FLOP FLOP

WOOSH

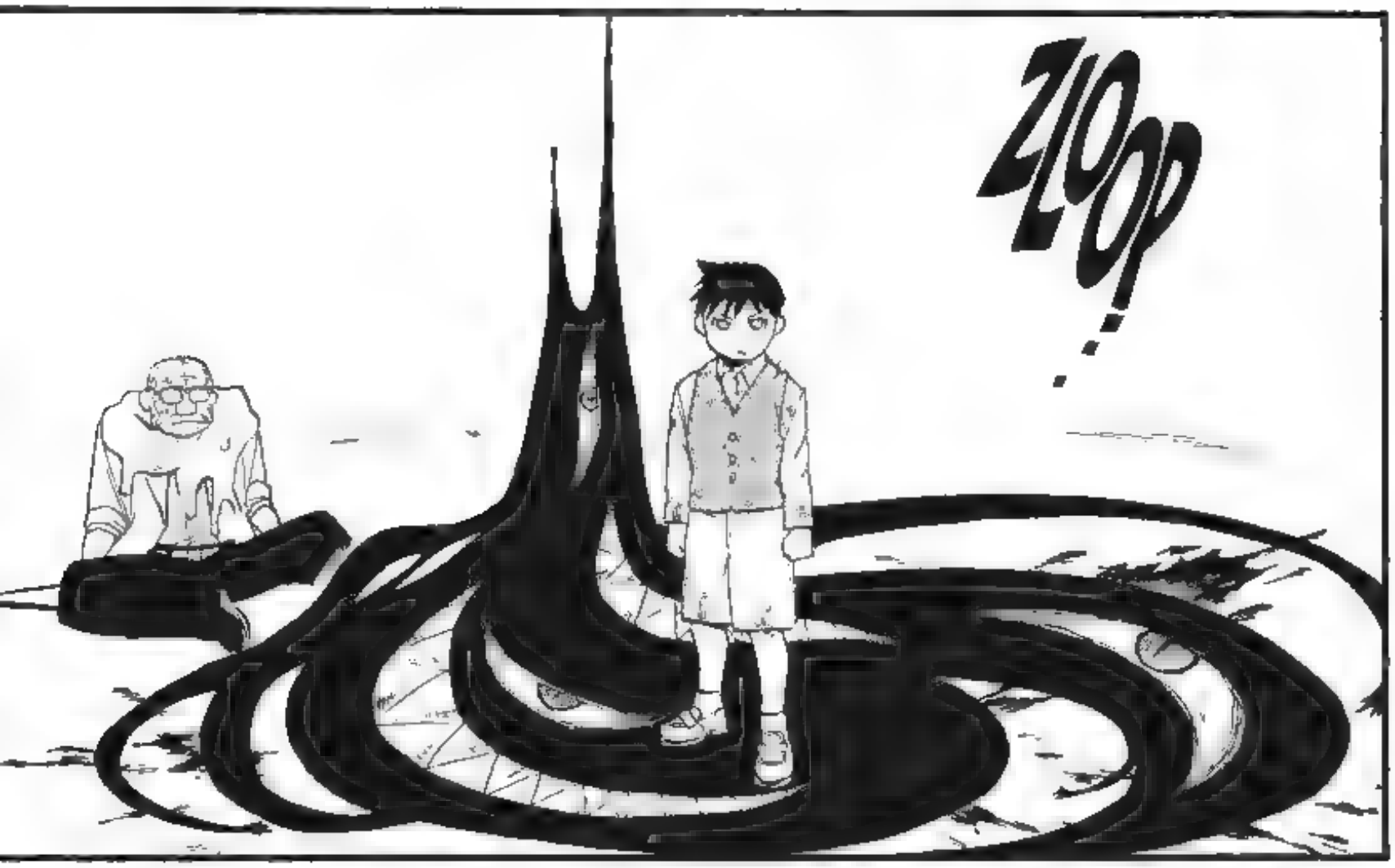
!

UG...
GUH...
JELSO
!!
JUMP
C'MON! WE'VE GOT TO MOVE!
ZAN-PANO !
BRING JELSO !!
ZU ZU ZU ...
I'VE GOT A REALLY BAD FEELING...
ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU
RU..
RUN...

ZWOO

ZWOO
ZWOO
ZWOO
ZWOO
ZWOO

Yup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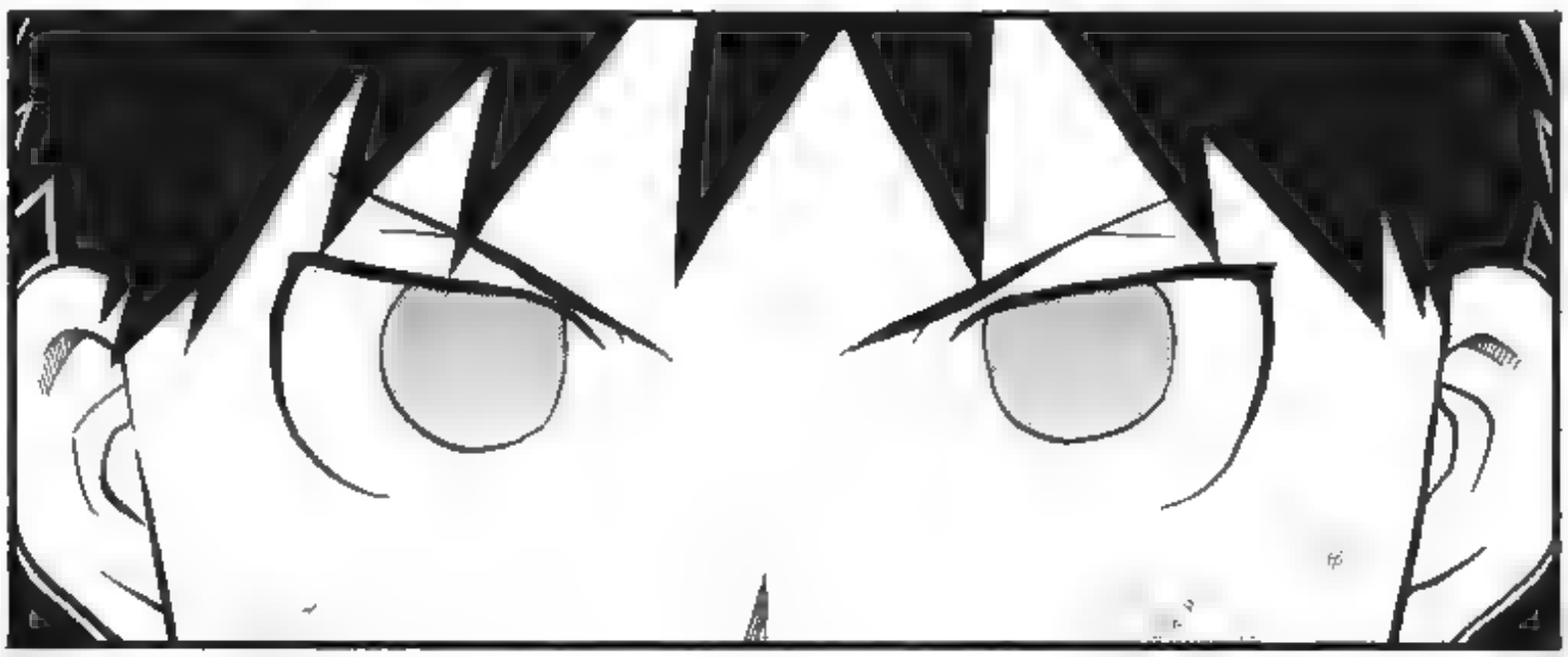

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GE

SN

AP

TAKE CARE OF HER FOR ME!

FZT

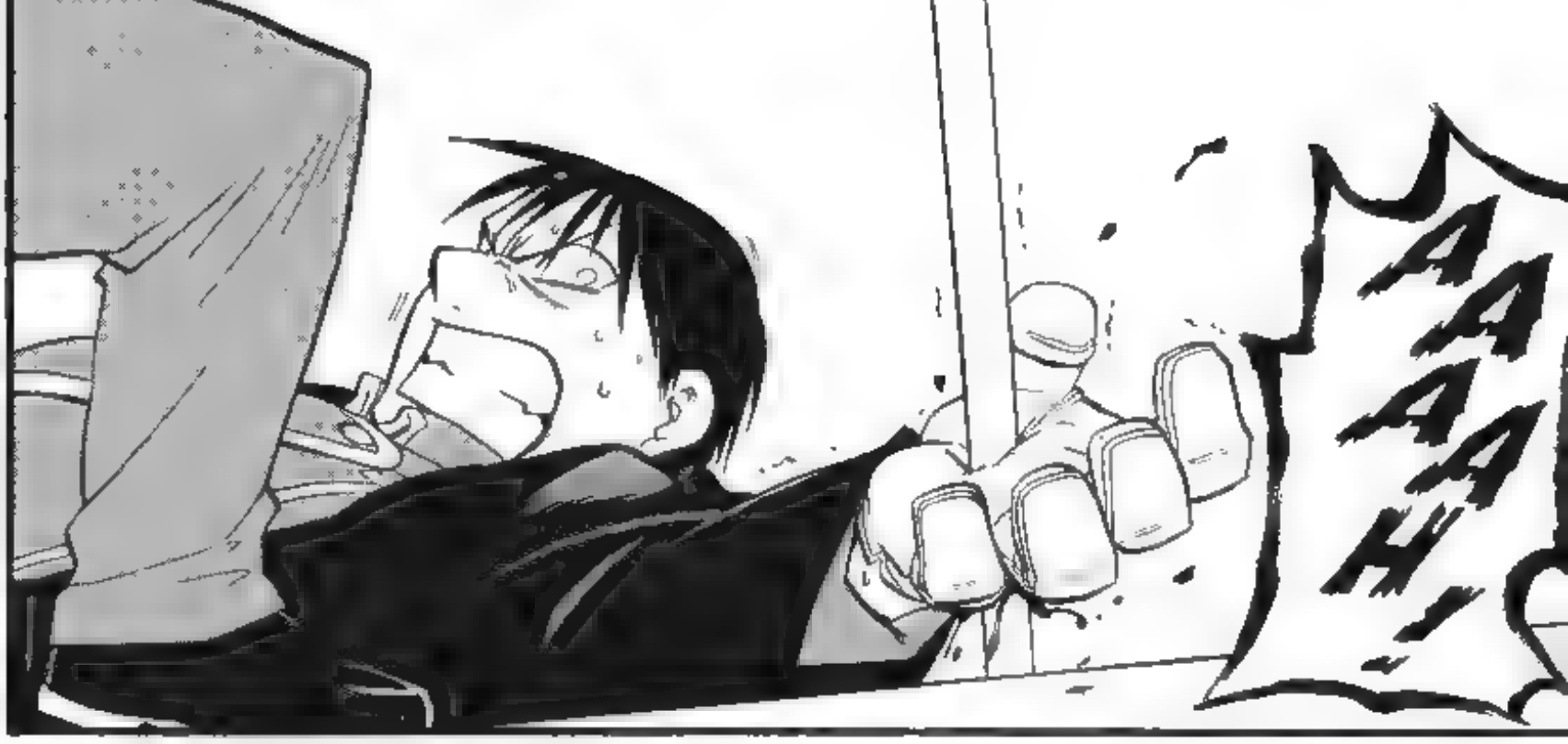
FZT

WHOOSH

KABOOM

WHOMP

GAH...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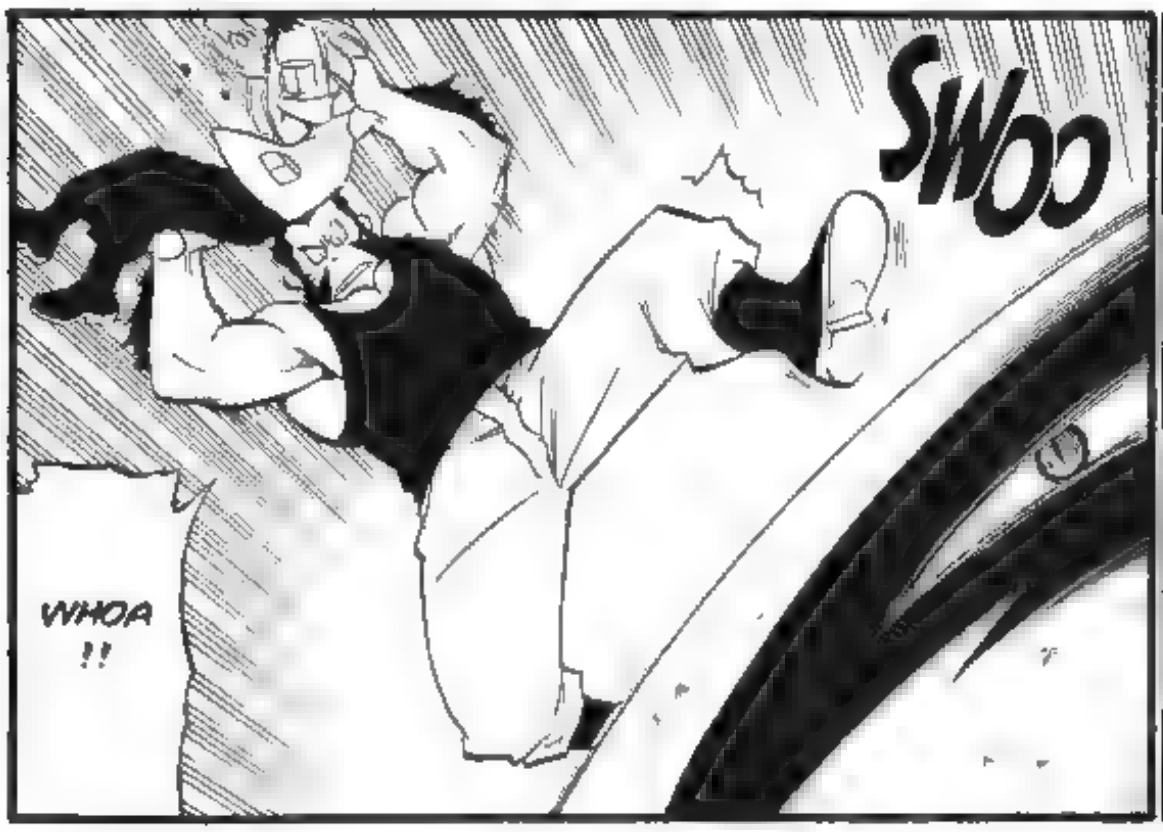

SWOO
WHOA !!

COLO-NEL !!

G-GOOD WORK, BRADLEY!!

JUST REMEM-BER, I'M THE ONE WHO RAISED Y--

ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
PHEW...

SHU NK

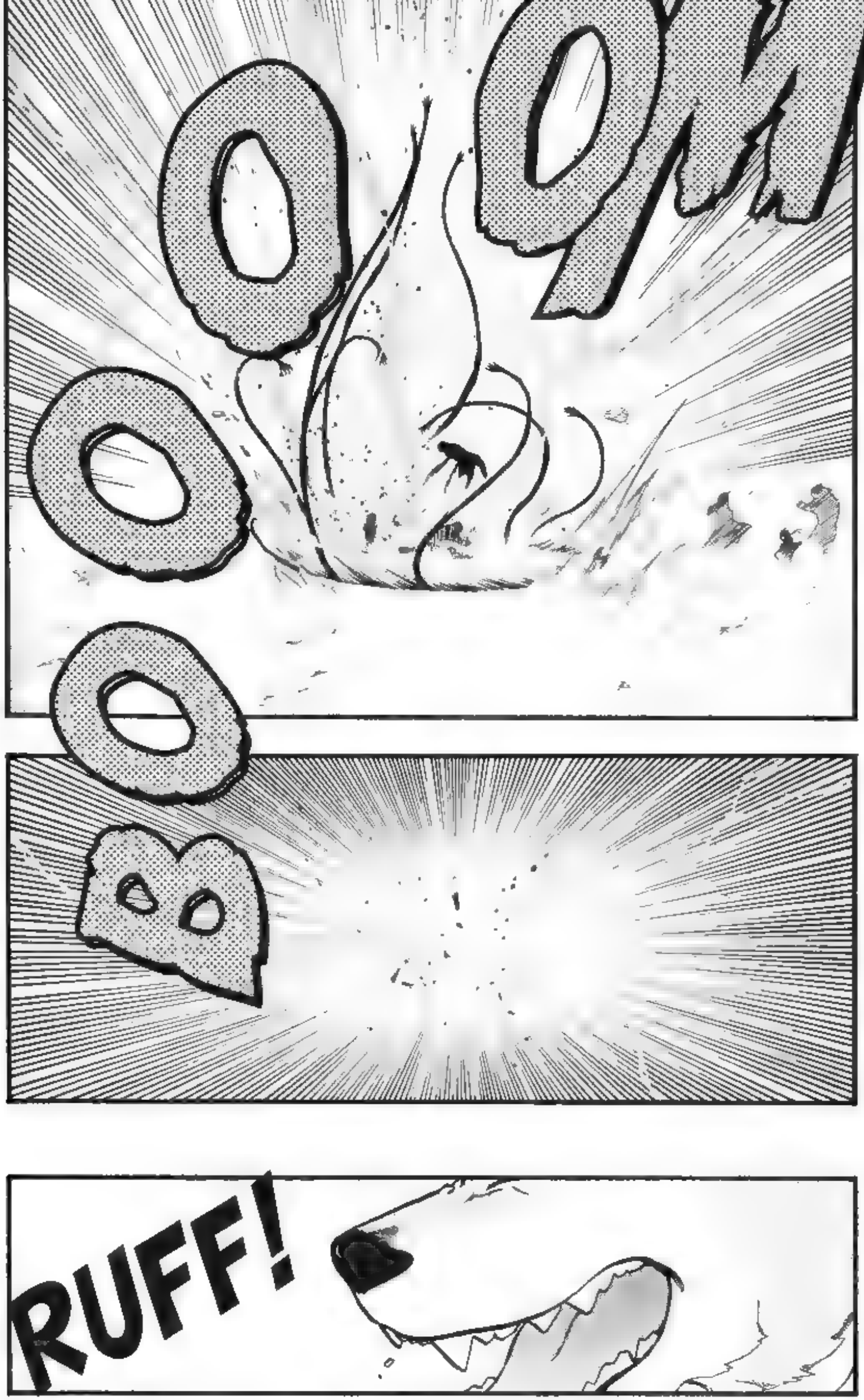
ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU

ZWOO ZU ZU

ZWOO ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU

Stop

THAT'LL MAKE FIVE.
THE LAST HUMAN SACRIFICE.


OH
RUFF!

SOMETHING MUST BE UP. IT SOUNDS LIKE EVERY DOG IN THE CITY IS BARKING LIKE MAD.

RUFF RUFF

RUFF RUFF RUFF

WOOF WOOOF WOOF

YAP YAP

YAP

RUFF

WOO

HUH ?

WOOF WOOF

WHAT'S WRONG, BOY?

WOOF

OH...

ZU

ZU

ZU

ZU

IT MUST BE BECAUSE THE ECLIPSE HAS STARTED.

ZU

ZU

ZU

ZU

ZU ZU

ZU ZU

ZU

!

RUFF RUFF AROOO AROOO

FULLMETAL
ALCHEMIST

DO

OH

REALLY DIDN'T WANT TO RESORT TO THIS...

?!

WE'RE OUT OF TIME.

...BUT YOU LEAVE US NO CHOICE.

Chapter 102
Before the Portal

FULLMETAL
ALCHEMIST

I'LL NEVER DO--

WHAT YOU WANT IS IRREL-EVANT.

PRIDE HAS ALREADY ASSIMILATED AN ALCHEMIST WITH THE KNOWLEDGE WE NEED.

THIS MAN HOLDS THE FORMULA FOR HUMAN TRANSMU-TATION.

IF YOU WON'T OPEN THE PORTAL VOLUNTARILY, THEN WE'LL MAKE YOU DO IT BY FORCE...

...COLO-NEL MUS-TANG.

ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZUZU
STAND CLEAR OF THE CIRCLE, WRATH.
I'VE GOT HIM.
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
WHA...
ZU
ZU
NNGH..
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
SHUP
HM...
Swp
KOFF

COLO-
NEL
!!

NO!!
YOU'LL
BE
PULLED
IN!!

FLASH!

I
WONDER
WHAT
KIND
OF TOLL
YOU'LL
HAVE
TO PAY?

AAAAAAAAAH!

BOOSH

BZA

ASSH

MN...

TH-THMP

?!

IS THAT...

IT CAN'T BE HIM.

NO, IT'S THE OLD DOC WITH THE GLASSES.

WELL THEN..

PLIP

ALTHOUGH I CAN'T GUARAN-TEE THAT HE STILL HAS ALL HIS LIMBS.

DON'T WORRY.

YOUR FRIEND MUSTANG IS SAFELY WITH FATHER BY NOW.

YOU CAN CLEARLY SEE WHAT CONDITION I'M IN.

WHO WILL HAVE THE HONOR OF TAKING ME DOWN?

OR..

MUS-TANG'S DOG?

THE FOR-EIGN-ER?

A CHI-MERA ?

WILL YOU ALL ATTACK ME TOGETHER ?

?

BE-NEATH US...

WHEN MAY SAID, "IT'S COMING FROM DIRECTLY BENEATH US," THE DOC GOT ALL FLUSTERED.

WHAT ?

DI-RECTLY UNDER THE HOLE.

GULP

WHY DO I FEEL LIKE...

...I DON'T STAND A CHANCE AGAINST THIS GEEZER, EVEN IF HE IS MORTALLY WOUNDED ?

BENEATH THE CENTER...

HM..

APPARENTLY, HE DIDN'T WANT US GOING DOWN THERE.

HE SAID, "I WON'T LET YOU GET IN HIS WAY."

BOO

CRAK

THEN *DOWN THERE* IS EXACTLY WHERE WE MUST GO.

M

ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU
ZU

ZU...

KRIK
CRACKLE

SNAP

BZZT

BZZT
BZZT

ZZT

BZZT

VOOM

COLO-
NEL
?!

GACHI

FWUMP

HA

HA

SNIK

KRAK

ZWOOP!!!

HM.

HE'S THE FIFTH ONE, FATHER.

TUP

ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, COLONEL ?!

OW...

I'D LIKE TO SAY THAT I NOW HAVE ALL FIVE, BUT ALPHONSE ELRIC ISN'T HERE YET.

FULL METAL ?

HARD HARD

WHERE ARE WE?

WE'RE IN THE BOSS'S LAIR!

WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU, COLONEL?

I WAS PULLED INTO A PURE WHITE VOID WITH NOTHING BUT A LARGE GATE--

A GATE ?!

WHAT DID THEY TAKE FROM YOU ?!!

DO YOU STILL HAVE BOTH YOUR LEGS?! AND ARMS ?!

HEY !

WHAT'S HAPPENING?!! ARE YOU THERE, FULLMETAL ?!!

HUH ?

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT... ?

IT'S TOO DARK IN HERE.

WHY ARE THE LIGHTS OFF?

...SEE ANY-THING

I CAN'T..

TRIP

STUMBLE

IT...

IT CAN'T BE...

!! FW UMP

HAVE YOU GONE BLIND?

NOW WALLOW IN YOUR FATE.

OUT OF ALL THE STATE ALCHEMISTS, YOUR SKILLS ARE THE MOST TROUBLE-SOME.

THAT'S GREAT!

THE TRUTH IS CRUEL.

A PAIR OF BROTHERS WHO WERE SO DESPERATE TO FEEL THEIR MOTHER'S WARMTH AGAIN THAT THEY DARED DO THE UNTHINKABLE...

ONE OF THEM LOST A LEG TO STAND ON AND ALL BUT LOST HIS ONLY REMAINING FAMILY.

THE OTHER WAS DEPRIVED OF EVER AGAIN FEELING THE WARMTH OF HUMAN CONTACT.

A WOMAN WHO TRIED TO BRING BACK HER DEAD CHILD, ONLY TO BE CURSED WITH A BODY THAT COULD NEVER AGAIN NURTURE LIFE.

AND FI-NAL-LY...

...A MAN WITH A VISION FOR HIS COUNTRY'S FUTURE HAS BEEN STRIPPED OF HIS EYESIGHT.

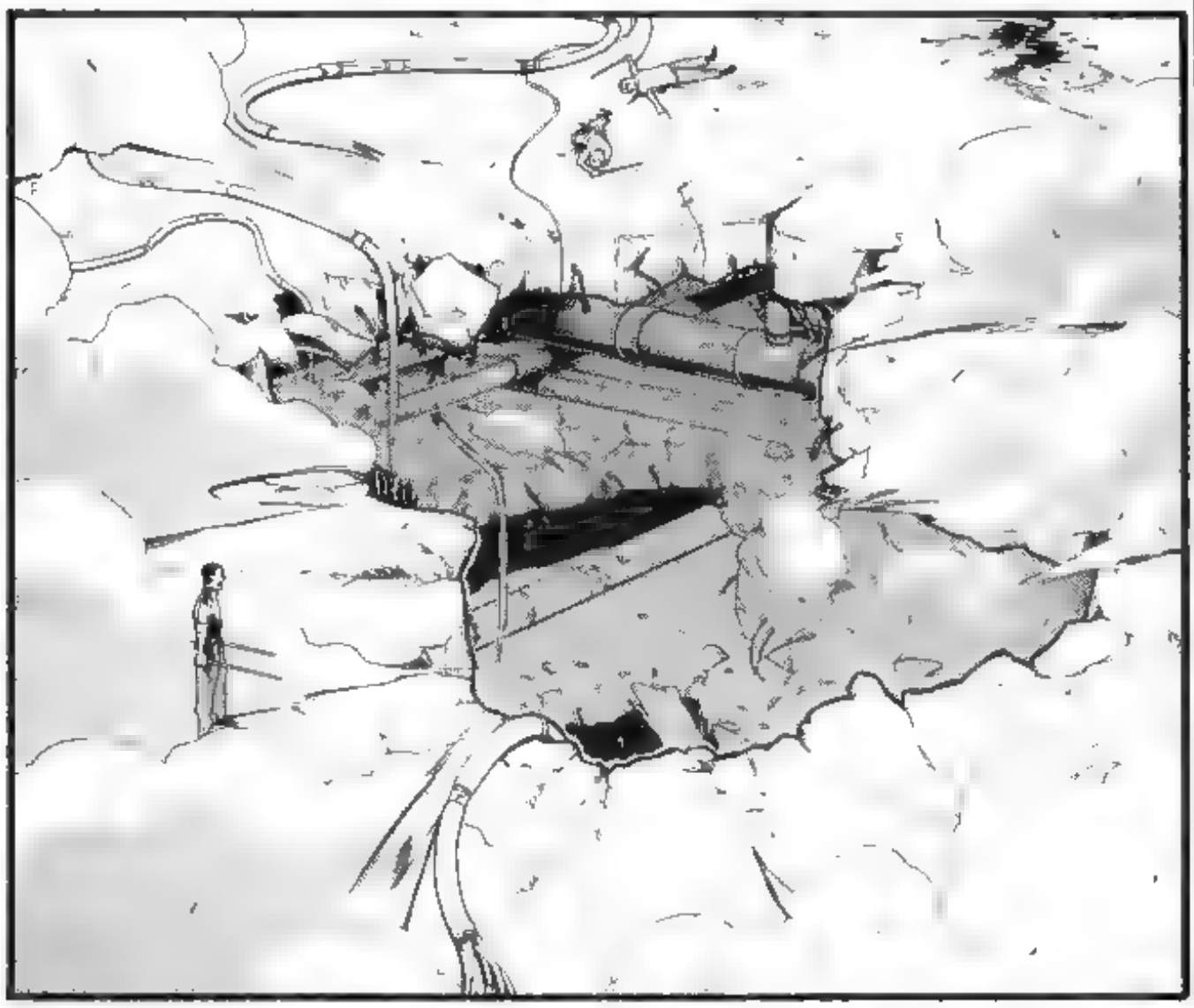
NOW HE WILL NEVER SEE THE FUTURE THAT COMES TO PASS.

FOR EVERY HUMAN WHO DARES CHALLENGE THE NATURAL ORDER, A FITTING PUNISHMENT IS METED OUT TO PUT THEM IN THEIR PLACE.

THAT ULTIMATE ARBITER OF ORDER THAT HUMANS CALL "GOD"...

...IS ***"THE TRUTH."***

KOFF



TCH
SO, YOU PLAN TO GET IN FATHER'S WAY.

WHOOSH

BAM BAM BAM BAM

SKCH

KLANG KLANG

KLANG

KLANG KLAN

KLANG KLANG

KLANG

CHOK

KA PANG

SKKD

SKKCH

SO, MY LAST OPPONENT IS TO BE THE BEARER OF DESTRUC-TION.

I SEE.

I HAVE NO NAME

I CAST IT AWAY LONG AGO.

WHAT IS YOUR *REAL NAME?*

TELL ME...

I DON'T KNOW MY REAL NAME EITHER.

IT'S FITTING.

HUP

IS THAT SO?

SWIP

TWO NAMELESS MEN FIGHTING TO THE DEATH.

HOW AMUSING.

RRM!

Tup

Tup

THM

THM

THM THM THM

TUMP

KR

AK

THM THM THM THM

THERE HE IS!

MAY 11

!

CLANG

THAT LITTLE BRAT

WHAT HAPPENED TO MR. ALPHONSE?!

I DON'T KNOW. HE'S STILL UNCONSCIOUS.

MR. ALPHONSE, WAKE UP!

MR. ALPHONSE!

SHE PUT A HOLE IN MY BEAUTIFUL HOME.

HIS APPEARANCE HAS CHANGED BUT HIS AURA IS THE SAME.

THAT'S THE IMMORTAL BOSS OF THE HOMUNCULI, ISN'T IT?

KLATT

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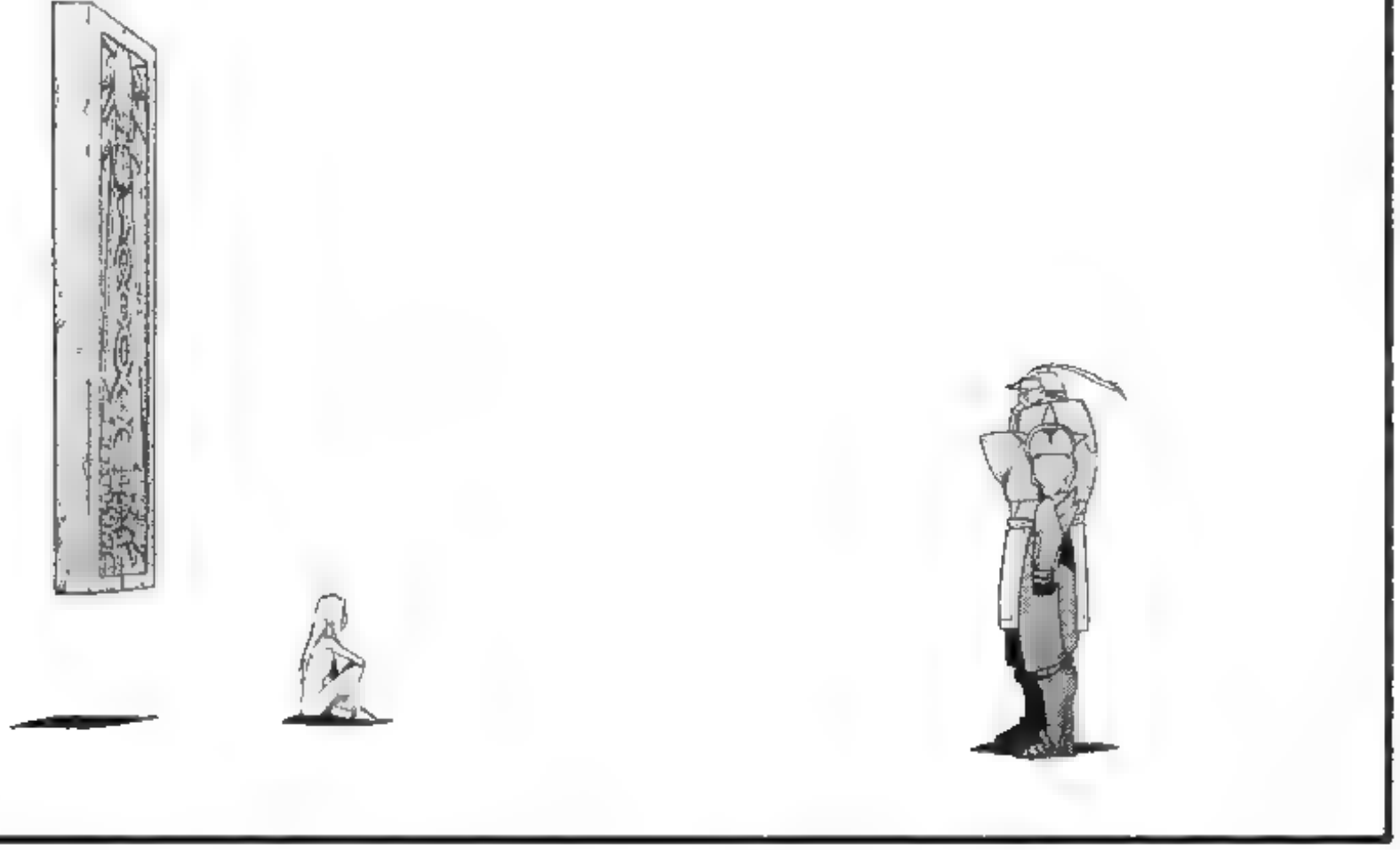
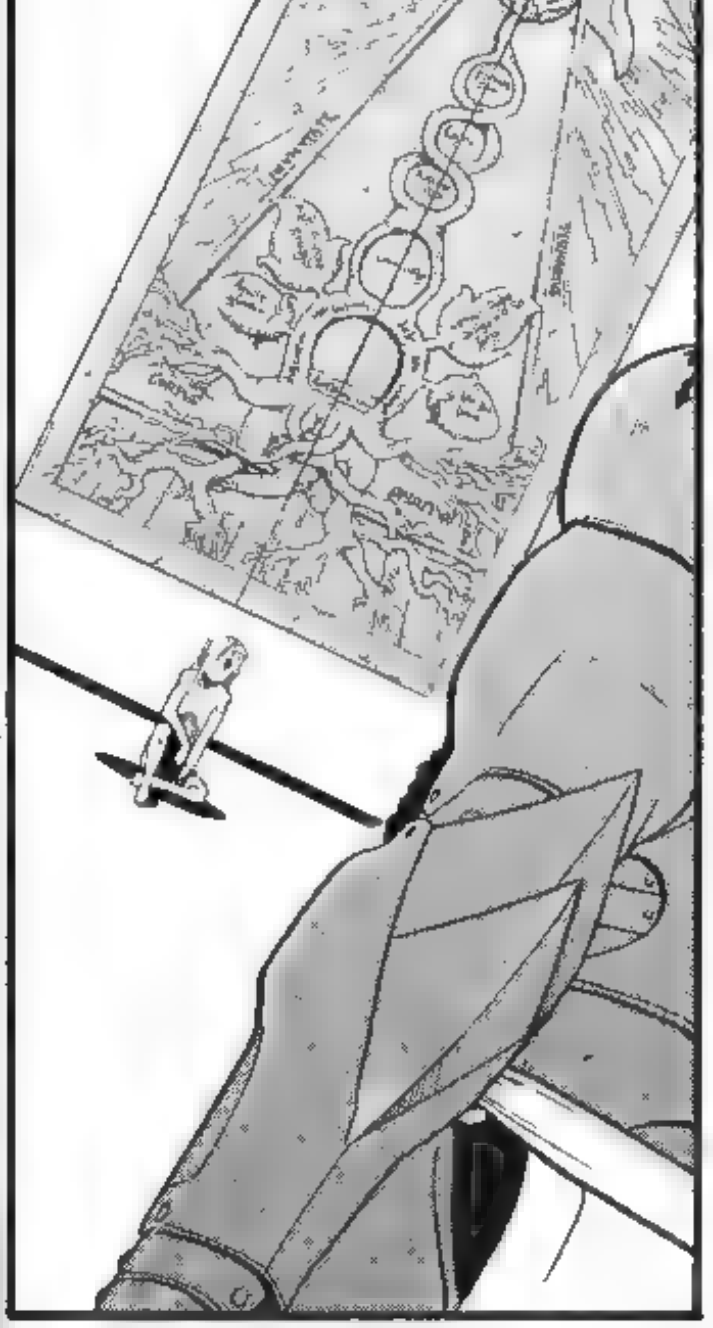
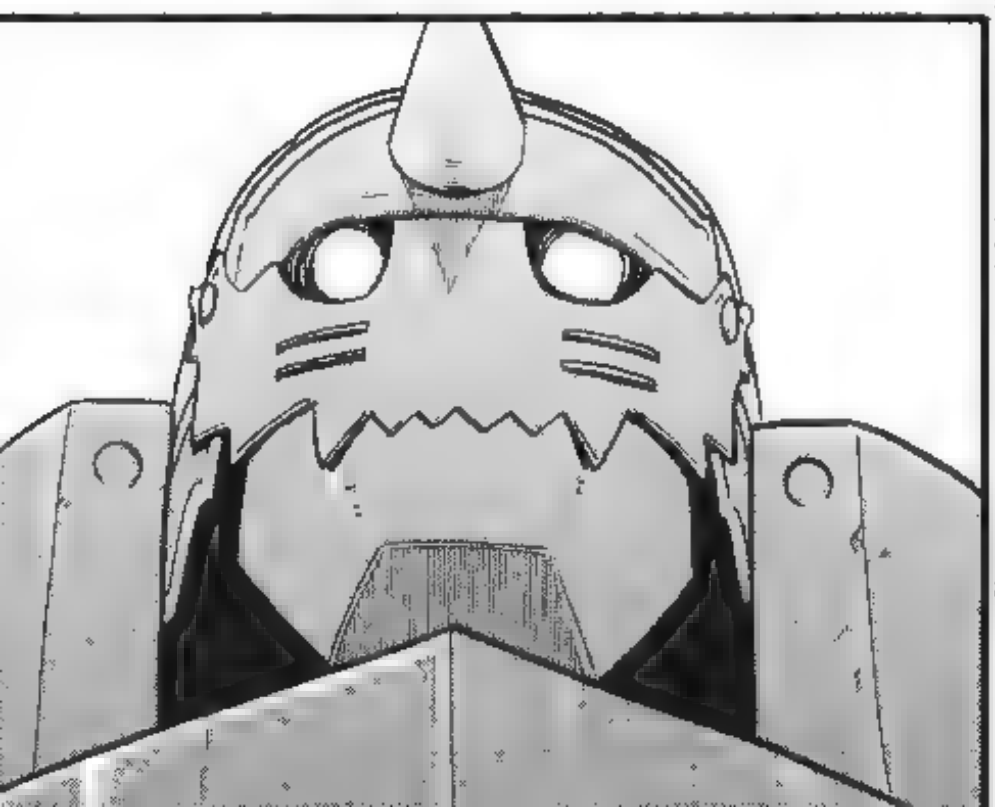
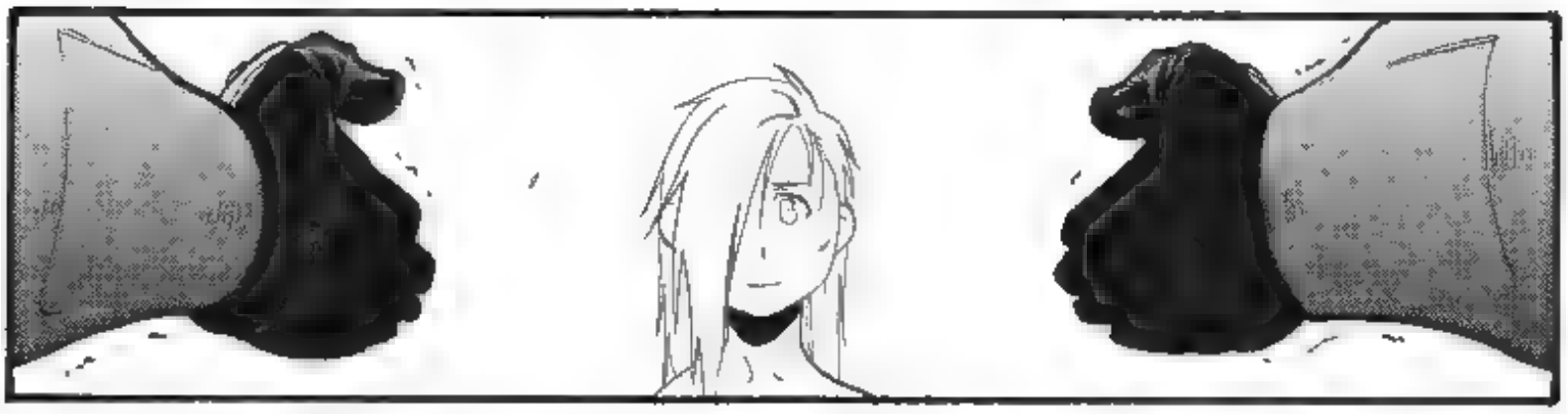
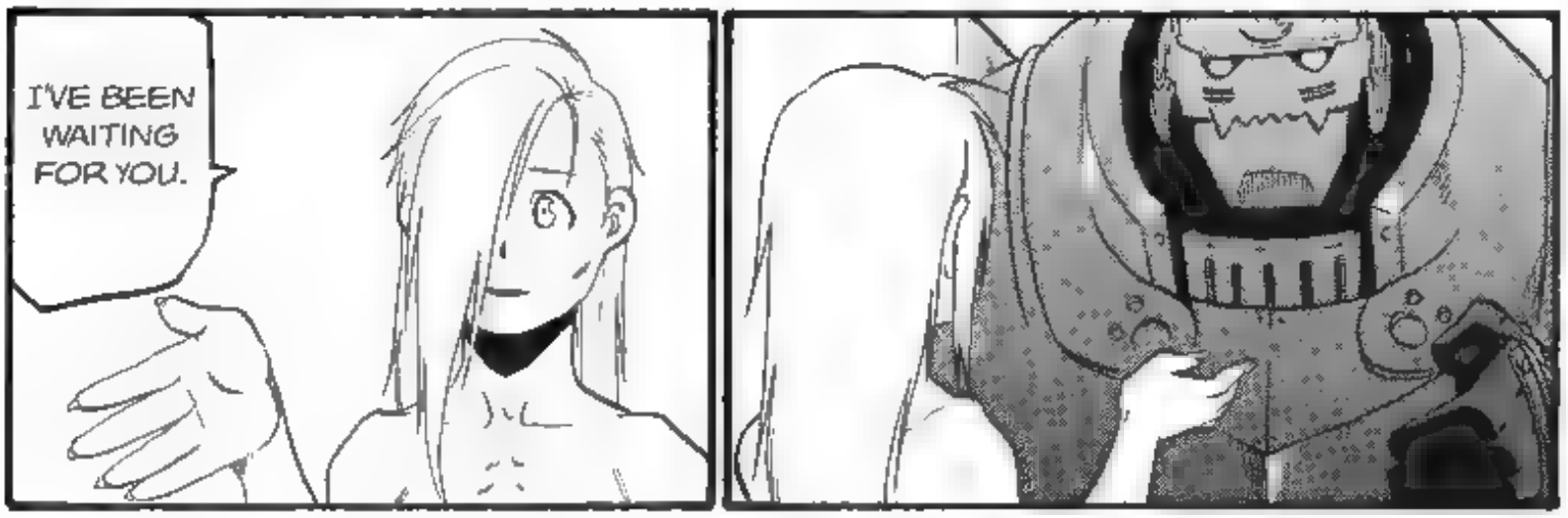


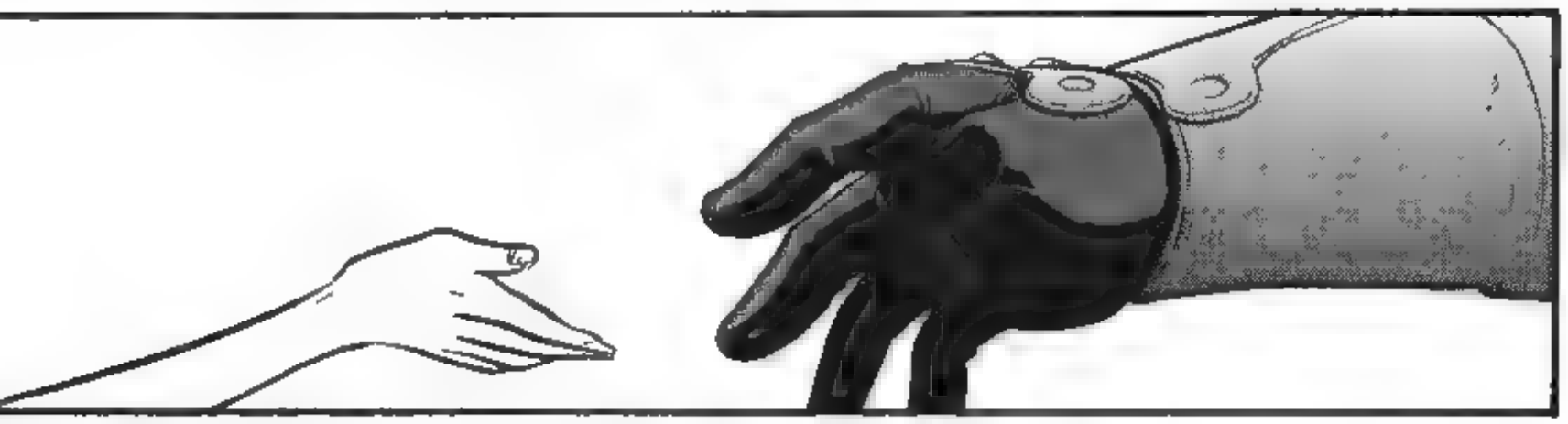


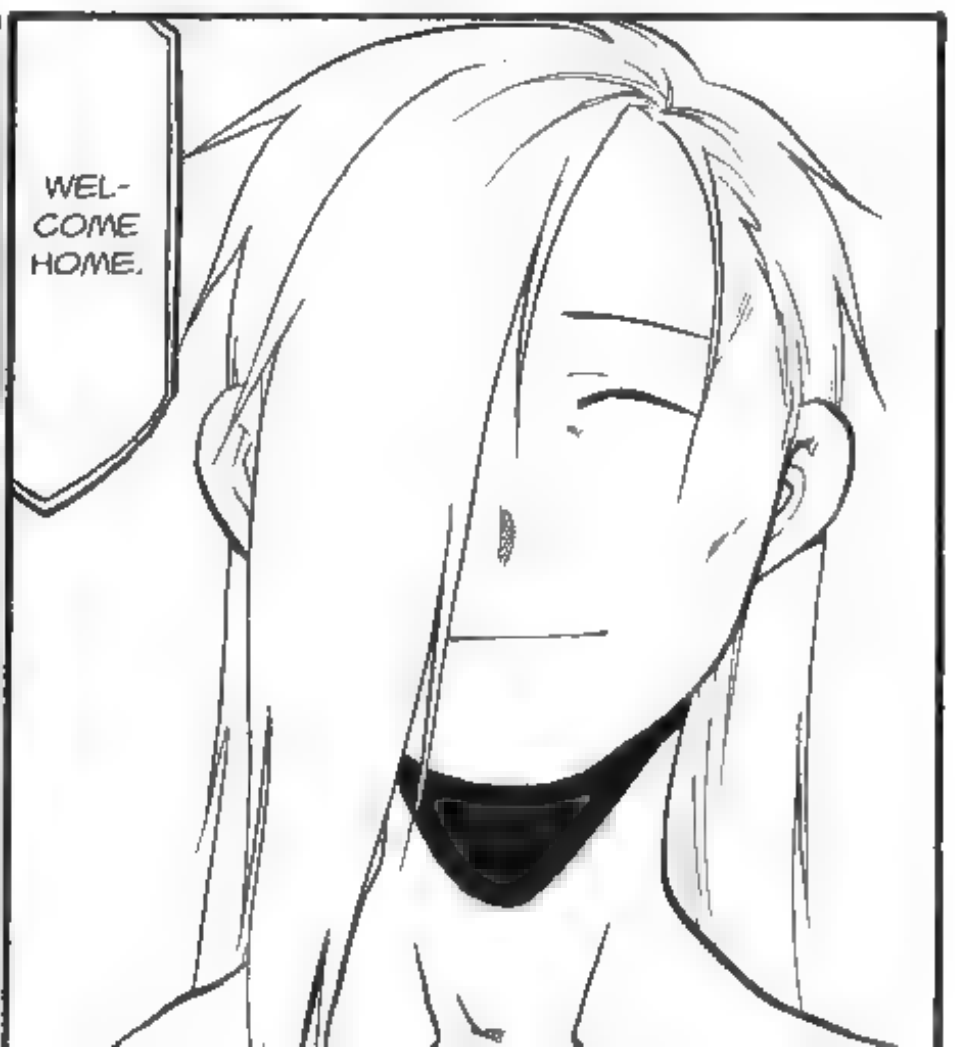


MY BODY
STAGGER
...MY BODY.
KLANK
KLANK
IT'S...
KLATUNK




I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU.




WEL-COME HOME.

GR

!

AB

THERE'S

NOTH-
ING
BUT
SKIN
AND
BONE.

BARELY
ABLE
TO
STAND.

LOOK
AT THIS
FRAIL
ARM.

KLANK

THERE'S NO WAY I CAN FIGHT IN A BODY LIKE THAT!!!

EVERYONE ELSE IS STILL FIGHTING FOR THEIR LIVES...

OF COURSE I DO!!

WHAT'S WRONG? DON'T YOU WANT ME?

BUT NOW...

FOR SO LONG, I'VE WANTED NOTHING MORE THAN TO GET MY REAL BODY BACK!!!

ALWAYS, ALWAYS, ALWAYS!

I ALWAYS HAVE!

I'M NO USE TO ANYONE WITH A BODY LIKE THAT!!

NOW... ISN'T THE TIME.

KREEAK

DO YOU WANT TO GO BACK?

DO YOU WANT TO KEEP THAT BODY?

GI GI GI GI GI GI

IF YOU WANT TO GO, I WON'T STOP YOU.

GI GI GI GI GI GI

AH...

GWOOOOOM

GI GI GI GI GI GI GI GI GI GI

JUST HANG IN THERE A LITTLE LONGER !!

I'M SORRY!! I'LL BE BACK !!

GI GI GI GI GI GI

I'LL COME BACK, NO MATTER WHAT !!

NO MATTER WHAT!! I PROMISE !!

AFTER ALL THOSE YEARS OF SEARCHING, YOU WALK AWAY FROM YOUR HUMAN BODY.

GI GI GI

HOW-EVER..

GI GI GI GI GI GI

I WOULD BE HONORED TO BE YOUR VESSEL.

MY NOBLE SPIRIT...

THOOM

...YOUR RETURN MIGHT PLUNGE THE WORLD INTO DESPAIR AND RUIN...

CORPVS 1

SPIRITVS 2

..AL-PHONSE.

DOOM

RMB RMB RMB RMB RMB RMB

CRACKLE

FLARE

AL ?!

GASP!!

BUT... WHERE ARE WE?

THANK GOOD-NESS, I MADE IT BACK!

MR. AL PHONSE!!

BIG BROTH-ER?!

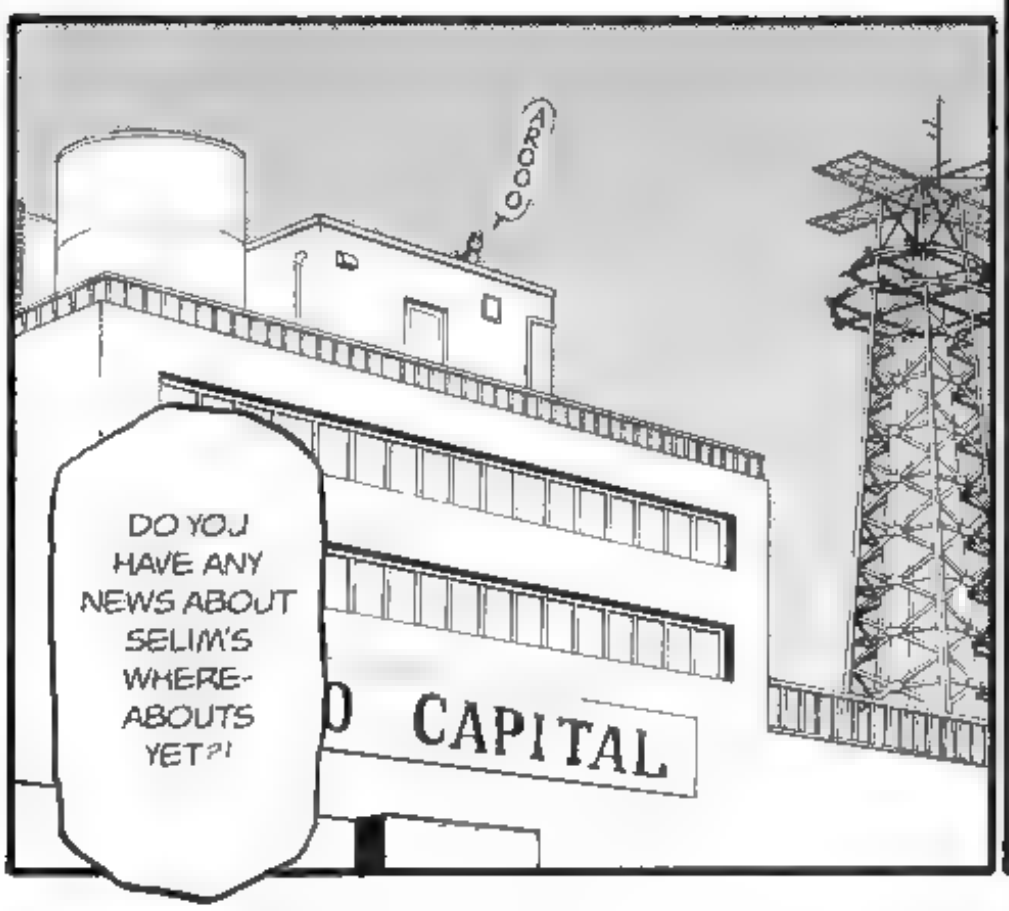
AL!

!

AND NOW I HAVE...

...ALL FIVE !!!

FULLMETAL
ALCHEMIST


DO YOU HAVE ANY NEWS ABOUT SELIM'S WHERE-ABOUTS YET?!
CAPITAL

I'M SORRY, MA'AM. WE STILL HAVEN'T HEARD ANYTHING ABOUT YOUR SON.
WHAT ABOUT MY HUSBAND?!

INSURGENT FORCES ARE ALL OVER THE CITY. IT'S NOT SAFE FOR YOU OUT THERE, MA'AM!

CAN'T I AT LEAST SEE MY HUSBAND?
OUT OF THE QUES-TION!

THERE'S NO WAY WE CAN LET HER SEE HIM.

OF COURSE NOT, HE'S A HOMUNCULUS.

HE'LL EITHER KILL HER OR USE HER AGAINST US.

YES..

I SUPPOSE YOU'RE RIGHT...

I'M SURPRISED YOU FOUND THIS PLACE, SERGEANT BROSCH.

I HEARD YOUR VOICE ON THE RADIO, 2ND LT. ROSS!

I TOLD THE CENTRAL CITY TROOPS OUTSIDE THAT ONE OF THE TERRORISTS WAS AN ACQUAINTANCE OF MINE.

SO THEY SAID, "CONVINCE THEM TO SURRENDER." AND, FAILING THAT, I'M SUPPOSED TO ASSESS THE SIZE OF YOUR FORCES AND REPORT BACK.

RADIO CAPITAL

WHERE'S THE COLONEL?

HE'S NOT HERE.

NO... I MEAN, UP UNTIL A FEW MINUTES AGO I WAS TOTALLY ***ANTI-MUSTANG***...

SORRY!

AND THEY NEVER CONSIDERED THAT YOU MIGHT CHANGE YOUR ALLEGIANCE TO THE MUSTANG SIDE?

I'M SURE HE'S MADE HIS WAY INTO CENTRAL HQ BY NOW.

ZU ZU

ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU ZU

NO...

Chapter 103
For Whom?

THE COLO-NEL'S EYES ARE...

IF YOU SAW THE PORTAL THEN YOU MUST'VE ATTEMPTED HUMAN TRANSMUTATION.

DO YOU REALLY THINK I WOULD DO THAT?!

YOU CAN'T SEE AT ALL?

NO... NOTHING.

HE WOULDN'T AGREE TO OUR REQUEST SO WE *FORCED* HIM TO OPEN THE PORTAL.

...I GUESS NOT.

WITH HIS EYESIGHT GONE, COLONEL MUSTANG IS IN NO POSITION TO CAUSE US ANY TROUBLE!

BUT EVERY-THING TURNED OUT ALL RIGHT IN THE END.

YOU SAID BEFORE THAT THE TRUTH METES OUT FITTING PUN SHMENT TO THOSE WHO CROSS THE LINE.

I AGREE THAT GUYS LIKE US WHO ***CHOSE*** TO ATTEMPT HUMAN TRANSMUTATION GOT WHAT WE DESERVED.

THIS IS A BUNCH OF BULL!!

BUT THE COLONEL DIDN'T MAKE THAT CHOICE, HE WAS ***FORCED***. AND FOR THAT HE LOST HIS VISION.

WHERE'S THE JUSTICE IN THAT?!

WHETHER OR NOT YOU AGREE WITH THE MEANS IS IRRELEVANT.

ACCEPT YOUR REALITY, ALCHEMIST!

I'LL NEVER ACCEPT THAT ANYTHING SO INCONSISTENT COULD BE "THE TRUTH"!!!

WE'RE NOT THE TYPE TO GIVE UP SO EASY!

KLANK

SORRY, BUT...

THEY NEED ALL FIVE OF US HERE, TOGETHER, RIGHT?

THEN LET'S ESCAPE

THERE IS NO ESCAPE.

BOTH OF 'EM AT ONCE, HUH? THIS ISN'T GOING TO BE EASY...

ZU
ZU
ZU

HEY, YOU! MR. EYE-BALLS!

YOU'RE IMMORTAL RIGHT?

SO, YOU DON'T DENY IT...

...

IT'S OKAY, MR. AL-PHONSE.

I'M TAKING HIM WITH ME!

YOU TWO CAN HANDLE THE LITTLE HOMUNCULUS.

IT'S TOO MUCH FOR YOU TO HANDLE ALONE!!

HUH?! WAIT...

THEY MADE YOU OPEN THE PORTAL BY FORCE?

THE LITTLE ONE, HUH?

BUT HE'S ALMOST AS DANGER-OUS AS THE BOSS!

...?!

SO WHY HADN'T THEY DONE IT UNTIL NOW?

THEY COULD HAVE CAPTURED ANY OLD ALCHEMISTS AND ASSEMBLED THEIR SACRIFICES **AGES** AGO.

IF THEY CAN DO THAT THEN IT SEEMS LIKE THEY HAD NO REASON TO WAIT AROUND FOR GUYS LIKE US WHO ATTEMPTED HUMAN TRANSMUTATION BY OUR OWN FREE WILL.

SO YOU'VE FIGURED IT OUT TOO, FULL-METAL.

WHICH MEANS, THEY WERE TAKING A BIG RISK.

WHEN HE PULLED ME INTO THE TRANS-MUTATION CIRCLE...
..HE SAID, "I DON'T REALLY WANT TO USE THIS METHOD, BUT I HAVE NO CHOICE"

LET'S GIVE IT A TRY THEN.

CLAP

KRAKOOM

WE CAN USE OUR ALCHEMY !!
ALL RIGHT !

RAAAAH!!

HIYAAAAA!

BA—

BAM

HE'S RUNNING AWAY !!

TUP TUP

THA-THOOM

KRACK

WHY THOSE ANNOY-ING LITTLE-

THEY'RE DE-STROYING MY HOME AGAIN.

UNTIL NOW, PRIDE USED ITS SHADOWY FORM TO BLOCK ANY ATTACKS.

WE'VE GOT HIM ON THE RUN!!

TUNK

HUH ?

I'M GOING TO TAKE...

...YOUR IMMOR-TALITY !!

MAYBE NOT FOR YOU, BUT I'VE GOT MY OWN REASONS FOR BEING HERE!!

THERE'S NO REASON FOR YOU TO BE HERE.

SUP...

THAT'S NO CONCERN OF MINE.

BE-GONE.

ER..

GLOONK

GLOOP GLOOP

GLOOP

I THINK THIS BE-LONGS TO YOU.

VWOOP

DO DO

NOT BAD!

TUP

TUP

MN...

GU...

GGH...

DON'T DO IT, GIRL!!

HE CAN TRANSMUTE WITHOUT MOVING!

GASP!!

GOSH

TAK
KA
ASH

IT'S GETTING A LITTLE COLDER TOO.

THE SUN'S GOTTEN A LOT SMALLER.

WHOA !

I ASKED ONE OF THE SOLDIERS AND ALL HE SAID WAS, "DON'T LEAVE THE BUILDING." COULDN'T GET ANYTHING ELSE OUT OF HIM.

I DON'T KNOW.

I WONDER WHEN WE CAN RESUME CONSTRUCTION?

!

MAYBE WE SHOULD PACK OUR BAGS AND LEAVE TOWN TILL THINGS COOL DOWN.

DO YOU THINK IT'S REALLY A COUP D'ETAT?

AREN'T THOSE GUYS ISHBALANS ?

HEY...

THEN RUN OVER THERE YOURSELF AND FIND OUT WHAT'S GOING ON!

WE CAN'T GET ANYONE ON THE RADIO!

I DON'T KNOW, SIR. WE'VE BEEN GETTING CONFLICTING REPORTS. IT'S CHAOS OUT THERE!!

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT HQ?!

AND AS IF THINGS WEREN'T BAD ENOUGH, GROUPS OF ISHBALANS HAVE BEEN SIGHTED THROUGHOUT THE CITY.

THE COMMAND CENTER IS STILL BEING HELD BY BRIGGS TROOPS, SIR.

TO

NK

GACK!

THEY COULD BE INVOLVED WITH TERRORIST ATTACKS!

IF YOU SEE ANY, ARREST THEM!!

BAS-
TARD
!!

TH

SORRY
ABOUT
THIS!

OK

!

THE
COAST
S
CLEAR
!

BRING
IT
OVER
!

OKAY
!

THEY
WOULDN'T
BELIEVE
US EVEN
IF WE DID.

WE DON'T
HAVE TIME
TO EXPLAIN
OUR INTEN-
TIONS.

FORGIVE
ME

YES ?

WHO IS IT?

NOK NOK

NOK NOK

NOK NOK

EEEEEEEK !!!

THROMP

THROMP

THROMP

THROMP

BAM

HUH ?

ISH BA-JANS ?

YES... IT.. IS.

...DEFINITELY THE ONE RIGHT HERE AT THE "X"?

IS YOUR HOUSE ..

EEEEEEEK !!!

EXCUSE US, MA'AM.

EEEEEEEK !!!

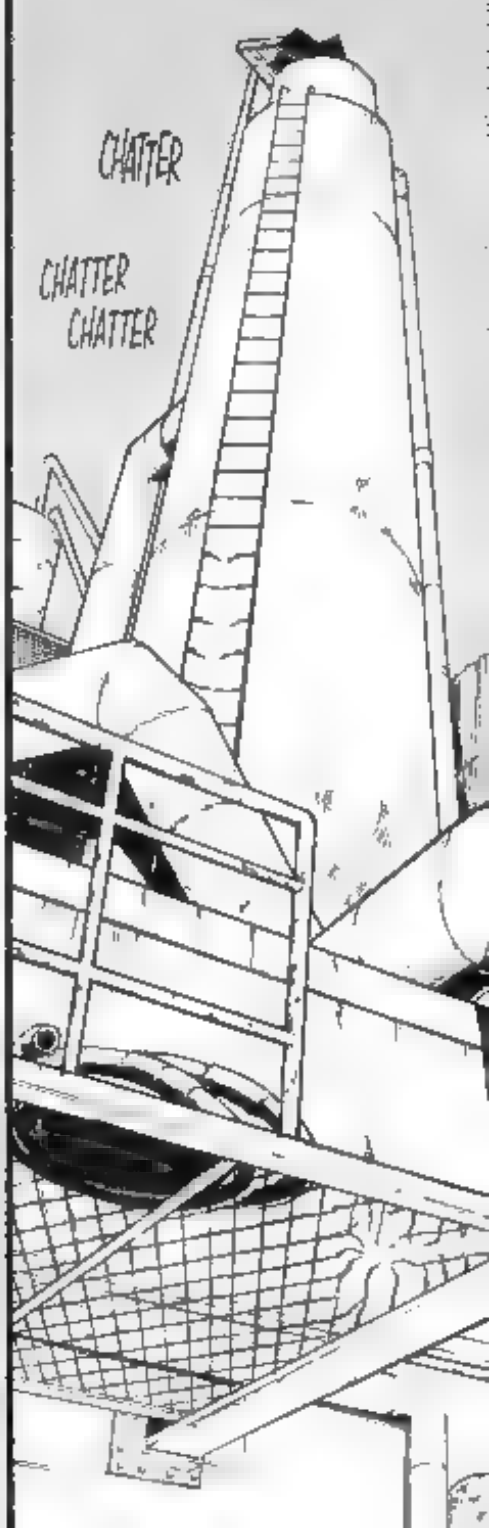
WE'RE NOT GOING TO HURT YOU SO PLEASE JUST ANSWER ONE QUES-TION.

I HOPE THE OTHERS ARE OKAY.
WHOA.
IT'S GETTING DARKER BY THE MINUTE.

GOOD THING FOR US IT'S AN ABAN-DONED WARE-HOUSE.

YUP! NO DOUBT ABOUT IT!
YOU SURE WE'RE IN THE RIGHT PLACE ?

FW
AP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..IT'S ALL UP TO YOU, SCAR!

NOW..

GWOON

GWOON

GWOON

GWOON

GWOON

SHE.

DRIP

GLARE

GLARE

..KNOWING THAT THE NEXT FIGHT WON'T STOP UNTIL ONE OF US IS DEAD.

NA-TION-ALITY.

RANK.

CLASS.

NAME.

NONE OF THESE THINGS MATTER NOW.

GEN-DER.

RACE.

IT'S AN AMAZING FEELING, EMBRACING MORTALITY...

NOTHING IS HOLDING US BACK.

WE FIGHT ONLY FOR OUR-SELVES.

THIS IS WHAT IT MEANS TO LIVE.

YES...

IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME COMING.

DOOM

BLAAASH

TING

TING

TING

TING

WHOOSH

RAAH!!

NNG..

WHOOSH

KRAK

KRIK

SNAP

JAB

IS THAT THE *BEST* YOU CAN DO?!!

WHAT'S THE MATTER ?!!

BAM

BAM

SHING

SHING

THAT'S NOT ENOUGH !!

THAT'S NOT NEARLY ENOUGH !!

BA

BAM

TRY TO BREAK ME...

BAM

...NAME-LESS HUMAN !!

SHOVE

TCH

SL

IP

?!

DOOM

STAGGER

!!

GLUCK

SNAP

GIKRU

STAB

GRAB

SLAM

GAGH..

SWO

O

O

ZOOM

THWA MA

YOU DIDN'T THINK I HAD THAT IN ME.

IT'S WRITTEN ALL OVER YOUR FACE.

GRAB

CRACKLE

I CAN SEE WHY.

UNTIL JUST RECENTLY, EVEN I...

...COULDN'T IMAGINE MYSELF TAPPING INTO THAT POWER.

SHUP

IGNIS
Colas

I DID NOT MAKE THIS CHOICE LIGHTLY...

...BUT IN THE END, IT WAS THE ONLY REAL OPTION.

THIS ARM HOLDS THE SECRETS FOUND IN MY BROTHER'S RESEARCH NOTES.

THE POWER OF RECONSTRUC-TION.

RRRUMMLB

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Psychological Warfare

Lots of Weaknesses

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AND YOU!!

An RPG Is Coming Out For the PSP!

WHAAAT?! ORIGINAL SCENARIOS?!
HEY GUYS! THE NEW FULLMETAL GAME ON PSP IS PACKED WITH NEW ART AND SCENARIOS THAT AREN'T IN THE MANGA!!!
YES!!
WHAT ABOUT NURSES AND FEMALE DOCTORS?!
YES!!
WILL THERE BE ANY MAID COSTUMES?!
YES!!
WHAT ABOUT EXCITING OUTDOOR BATH SCENES WITH LOTS OF GIRLS?!
YES!!
WHAT ABOUT CUTE BRIDES?!
C'MON, BIG BROTHER! THESE ARE ALL SCENES THAT DON'T HAPPEN IN THE MANGA, SO BY YOU SAYING THAT, IT'S LIKE YOU'RE ADMITTING THAT IT COULD NEVER HAPPEN!!!
NO!!
WHAT ABOUT ME GROWING TALLER AND GETTING ALL THE GIRLS?!

THE END IS NIGH...!!

DIE!!

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AS THE LIGHT OF HOPE IS ECLIPSED AND SHADOW SEIZES THE LAND, MANKIND FACES ITS DARKEST HOUR!!

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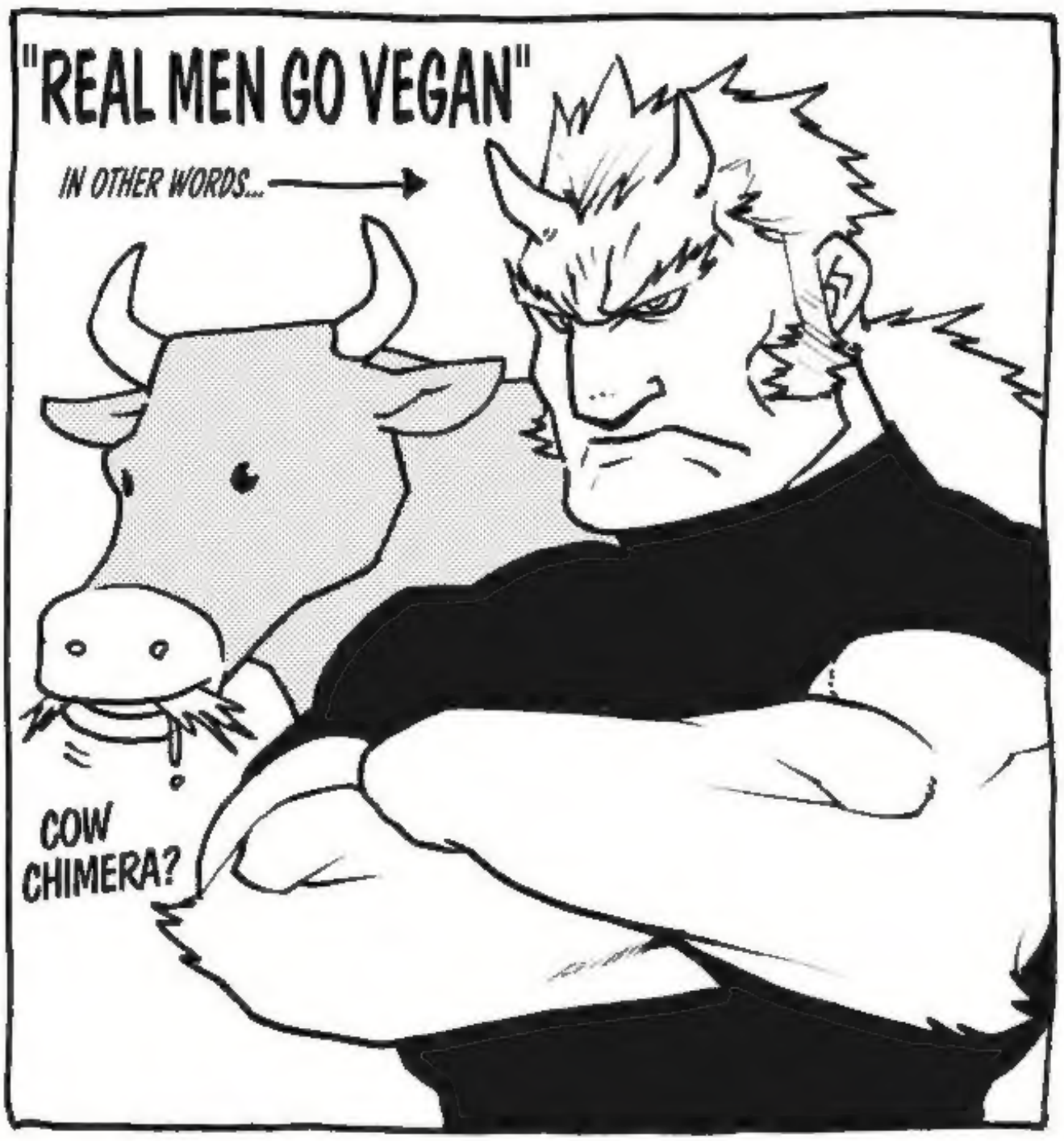
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...ETERNAL REST!!!
HE RAN AWAY !!
REST TIME...
WELL, HOW THE HECK COULD I BEAT HIM ANYWAY?

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